

**SPECIAL SESSION
GRINDS SLOWLY.**

Little Progress Made With
Subjects of the Call.

Randall and Thompson Bills
Are Not Yet Ready.

Demand on Uncle Sam for the
Yosemite Valley.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES)
SACRAMENTO, Nov. 29.—Little progress was made today with the legislation for which the extraordinary session was convened, although important measures were introduced in both houses. Reapportionment was the big issue of the day as it will be of many days to come. The bills on which the fight probably will be fought, however, the Randall and Thompson bills in the Assembly and Senate, respectively, have not been handed in as yet.

The measure which probably will form at least the groundwork of the reapportionment bill will be introduced at a brief session of the Assembly tomorrow morning. Assembly Leader Bennett said today that he expected the bill to be presented before the House and into the printer's hands today, but it was not ready when the time came and he moved for adjournment after delaying more than half an hour to wait for the bill.

NEW APPOINTMENT.
Bennett offered late in the day a constitutional amendment providing for a new apportionment of the legislative districts of the State. The bill is distinct from the regular reapportionment required by the showing of the last census.

The proposed amendment would leave the Senate membership undisturbed, but would make radical changes in the lower House.

"The amendment," said the speaker, "by dividing the whole number of the inhabitants of the State excluding aliens not eligible to citizenship by the number of members of the Assembly, shall be the ratio of apportionment, which shall be made as follows: One member of Assembly shall be apportioned to every county having more than two ratios and one-half ratio or more. The remaining members of the Assembly shall be apportioned to the counties having more than two ratios and one-half ratio or more, in the order of the number of inhabitants, excluding aliens not eligible to citizenship."

"Members apportioned on remainders shall be apportioned to the counties having the highest remainders in the order thereof. No county shall have more members of the Assembly than a county having a greater number of inhabitants, excluding aliens not eligible to citizenship."

ASSEMBLY DISTRICTS.
The Legislature shall divide each county, or city and county, entitled to more than one member, into assembly districts as nearly equal in number of inhabitants as possible, and the number of members of the Assembly shall be apportioned to the counties, or city and county, shall be entitled."

In the Senate also the reapportionment matter was reached from the constitutional amendment. Senator G. S. Walker of Santa Clara, offered a constitutional amendment providing for an increase of the assembly membership from eighty to ninety-seven. The Senate membership under his resolution remains as it is.

Walker's proposal is that one assemblyman be appointed from each county, Alpine and Mono counties being combined, the other members to be elected from the present forty-seven senatorial districts. With fifty-seven county members and forty from the senatorial districts, the total membership would be ninety-seven.

The Senate adjourned today over Thanksgiving and will not meet again until 11 o'clock Friday.

Yosemite Valley.
Return of Yosemite Valley to the State of California by the Federal Government on the ground that Federal appropriations for the valley have been insufficient, will be asked by State Senator John B. Curtin of Sonoma in a concurrent resolution, he will present to the Senate next Friday, according to his present plan. Senator Curtin already has drafted his resolution. It argues that during the six years that have elapsed since the State surrendered control of the valley, Federal annual appropriations have not been equal to the State's appropriations in the years preceding the release of the land to the government. Curtin declares that California's desire to make Yosemite Valley a big feature of the exposition of 1915, and that a heavy expenditure, which the government is disinclined to make, will be necessary.

Machinery.
Machinery for the accomplishment of the Presidential preference primary in California was put in motion at the session today by Assemblyman C. C. Young of Berkeley. Young introduced a bill providing a complete method of ascertaining the will of the voters, prefacing his proposal with the statement that the laws in five States where such a primary is now operative were fragmentary and California was compelled to work out its own system.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY.
Section 1 of the Young bill calls a Presidential primary for May 5, 1912, and on the second Tuesday in May every fourth year thereafter. Separate party ballots are provided for.

Section 2 of the bill provides that the party vote in each Congressional district as the number of signatures necessary to petitions placing candidates on the ballot. It also provides that any person whose name is placed on the ballot without his own consent may withdraw it by a statement in writing, the provision being calculated to prevent a scattering of the vote for political purposes.

The bill would make delegates to national conventions optional, and from the State at large, doing away with the districts. One per cent of the party vote in Congressional districts is required to place the delegates names on the ballot. A statement pledging delegates to abide by the primary Presidential choice is included. It being specified that the ballot shall show whether or not each candidate for delegate signed such statement. Wherever there is no

conflict, the present direct primary law is made to apply to the Presidential primary, and it is specified that the act shall go into effect immediately upon its passage.

WATER SERVICE.
The creation of a water service commission empowered to control all water supplies in the State; to adjust the rights of water claimants and exercise general supervision, is provided for in a bill introduced in the Assembly by Clark of Alameda. The measure is routine in that it is designed to carry out the detail of the recent Constitutional amendment dealing with conservation. A feature of Clark's bill is the provision that claimants against whom the commission may rule may appeal to superior courts for review.

The committee appointed at the recent conference with the Governor over the work before the extraordinary session of the Legislature, charged with preparing the detail of the woman suffrage amendment, introduced identical bills today in both houses. Assemblyman Keogh of Eureka and Senators Bell of Pasadena and Avery of Redlands offered the bills.

The committee bills closely resemble the Harlan bills for the same purpose introduced yesterday in the Assembly. The "over twenty" declaration at registration is retained, as are all features except that requiring a woman voter to refer to her nearest male relative as a means of identification in certain specified cases.

When the Senate convened the confirmation of the Governor's appointments made since the last session took up considerable time through repeated roll calls. Several routine resolutions concerning mileage and similar matters were put through.

MESSAGE FROM SAN DIEGO.
A telegram from the San Diego Exposition officials asking that both California's 1915 expositions be mentioned in any exposition legislation, was received and by motion of Senator Wright, ordered printed in the Journal.

Repeal of Section 20, Article 5, of the State Constitution is provided for in a bill introduced in the Assembly by H. W. Brown, of San Mateo. The section mentioned reads:

"The Governor shall not during his term of office be elected a Senator to the Senate of the United States."

Brown said that he offered the measure merely because of the fact that he believed the section to be in conflict with the Constitution of the United States which provided the qualifications of a Senator. He said that he had not discussed his bill with any body.

When informed of the amendment offered by Assemblyman Brown, repeat of Section 20, Article 5 of the State Constitution, regarding the election of a Governor as United States Senator, Gov. Johnson this afternoon issued the following statement:

"Present provision of the Constitution that the Governor shall not during his term of office be elected United States Senator, is a salutary provision which ought not to be disturbed. The amendment presented by Mr. Brown ought to be defeated and will be defeated."

LOS ANGELES REGISTRATION.
Senator Leslie Hewitt, formerly City Attorney of Los Angeles, began today an effort to clear up the muddled registration matters in Los Angeles before next Tuesday, the day of the municipal election.

Hewitt introduced a bill validating the appointment of 107 registration clerks, the legality of whose credentials was called in question. All the voters registered by these clerks are threatened with disqualification and Hewitt hopes to rush his bill through both houses in time to let the ballots go in next Tuesday.

The clerks in question received their appointments during the rush of registration which followed the recent primary election in Los Angeles. The warrants of office were signed by the Deputy Registrar, the clerks being afterward by other persons. It was then concluded that this did not constitute legal appointment and Hewitt's bill calculated to afford immediate relief.

MONARCHISTS STILL THERE.
Royalties Alleged to Have Assembled in Lisbon For a Great Coup to Recover the Throne.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES)
LISBON (Via Frontier) Nov. 29.—The opinion generally prevails that the disorders which occurred here on November 26 were only preliminary to more serious events. On that occasion were twenty-one soldiers and it is believed that the total number of wounded far exceeds the government estimate.

The riot, it is said, was started by monarchists who recently arrived at Oporto. It is declared that the monarchist element and preparing for an uprising in Lisbon to coincide with the crossing of the frontier by the Royalists.

The Cabaneros, members of an advanced political society, who now as secret Republican police, boast of the possession of thousands of bombs which they intend to hurl from windows and roofs in case trouble should occur.

The authorities today entered and closed what they allege to be a secret monastery of the order of the Holy Spirit, composed of foreigner friars. They arrested fifty-two inmates and confiscated paintings, tapestries and ornaments of an estimated value of \$2,735,000.

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**DEATH SEEMS
NEAR SMITH.**

Former President of the City Council Stricken, Now Unconscious.

George A. Smith, former president of the City Council, and for years a strong factor in the business and political life of Los Angeles, suffered a stroke of apoplexy last night while going up the stairs to his downtown office, and is now in a precarious condition. For a few minutes after he had been stricken he was able to talk, and managed to call his physician. He was removed to the elegant residence recently completed at No. 1521 Fifth avenue. All the members of the family, with three physicians, remained at the bedside during the night. It was feared at midnight that dissolution might come at any moment. The entire right side is paralyzed.

Before losing consciousness Mr. Smith, who was the opposition candidate to Mayor Alexander at the last city election, spoke of the present campaign and expressed the hope that he would live and be able to vote for Alexander and the ticket of law and order next Tuesday.

Mr. Smith is well along in years, but his health had been fairly good. He has large mining interests and has been working hard in his office recently.

FIGHTS OFF BIG POSSE

(Continued from First Page.)

charge. Karso replied like a flash and with a blind answering shot Hicks retreated. This was not tried again.

SEND FOR DYNAMITE

After battling over an hour with no success, George Van Valer, a motorcyclist, was sent for dynamite. This was delivered by automobile from a downtown store. Each stick was fitted with a cap and a short fuse. Chief of Police Kildner hurried two sticks in the direction of the building. The shot was fired and a great hole in the ground and shook buildings for a mile around. The second hit the roof and rolled off. It did not explode.

Joe Veitch, a spectator, then took a third stick behind the building, but it, too, rolled off harmless. Dynamite exerts a downward force and it was necessary to explode it on the roof to wreck the building. At the third shot of dynamite a shot was heard from inside. It was the last fired by Karso and he believed to have ended his life, in the light of occurrences which came afterward.

The fire department had meanwhile been called out to work on the case and it was decided to fire the building. Fire Chief Haley posted his men and hoses to prevent the blaze spreading and Deputy Sheriff Ray Hicks crept close to the shed with a cloth saturated with kerosene. He lighted it and tossed it on the building. As it appeared to be flickering out, other deputies with dishes of coal oil ran in close and threw the liquid on the blaze. This fired the wooden structure and in five minutes it was a mass of flames. When it became evident that nothing could live in the furnace inside, the fire department turned the hose on the blaze and the men made cautious by their long wait under fire, advanced slowly on the barricaded doors.

They broke down the doors and within they found the headless body of their quarry. The entire top of his head from his chin up had been blown away by a gun-shot. The clothes had been burned from his body, which was badly charred by the flames. It is believed he saw the hopelessness of further fighting when the officers began to explode dynamite around him and that at the third charge he blew off his head.

The firing of the building thus became an unnecessary operation, but it was not until the posse had broken in that they became aware of the fact. The body was lying behind a trunk in one corner. As it was dragged out of the place thousands of people crushed into line to see the charred remains. Automobiles on the Oakland road frequently drove in to the line of fire during the battle and a touch of comedy was invariably given as a machine came up. The drivers apparently thought it was easy to see that a motion-picture drama was being played and it was not until the whiz of the bullets from the shed was heard by them that they reversed their engines to beat a hasty retreat.

ABOUT ENOUGH FOR A HAT.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] From all over the United States there have come about \$100 in response to the appeal of the American Red Cross issued about a month ago for funds to relieve famine sufferers in China and to aid in putting Red Cross societies on Chinese revolutionary battlefields.

BACK TO NATIVE LAND.
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Fung Chi Yau, editor of the Chinese Free Press here, sailed for the Orient today as a special representative of the Chinese revolutionary party in the United States. At Shanghai he will participate in the constitutional convention called by the revolutionists.

Eight Daily Trains.
To San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley, some by day for the tourist and pleasure and some by night for the business and the busy man. See agents Southern Pacific.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments.**EX-MAYOR OF MILWAUKEE--****Hon. David S. Rose****Will Speak On****"Prohibition Calamity"****Auspices Taxpayers' League****Luna Park, Sunday 3 p.m.****December 3rd****Admission Free****20TH CENTURY VAUDEVILLE****Thl. Week--A Riot of Fun from Start to Finish****Two Shows This****Afternoon****Commencing Promptly at 2 and 3:30--Come Early****3 SHOWS TONIGHT****Commencing at 6:30, 7:45 and 9:01****WHERE EVERYBODY GOES--10-20-30--WHERE EVERYBODY'S PLEASED.****PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE--10c-20c-30c "Worth More"****Thanksgiving Day****Two Complete Matinees Starting 2 p.m.****Three Night Shows Starting 6:30 p.m.****DON'T FAIL TO HEAR--****Hon. A. S. Ruth****"Prohibition Folly"****Friday, December 1st---8 p.m.****Walker Theater Good Music--Admission Free****REV. DR. WASSON--****Diocese of Long Island, N. 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TO RESTRAIN FLOOD WATER.

Dikes on Colorado River Are
to Be Repaired.

Mexican Government Agrees
to Arrangement.

Contracts for Work to Be Let
Immediately.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
WASHINGTON (D. C.) Nov. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Contracts will soon be let by the government, acting through the Colorado River Land Company, for repairing dikes to restrain the Colorado River from inundating the Imperial Valley. The dikes were partly washed out last spring, and it became necessary to do something to prevent damage when the river gets high again.

Assistant Secretary of the Interior Simpson was sent to the City of Mexico to make arrangements with the Mexican government for performing the work which must be done on Mexican soil. There is great objection to formal agreement with the United States regarding this work, and it was agreed finally that Senator Fugate, Minister Fomento, should be authorized Col. Ockerson, the engineer in charge, to allow the Colorado River Land Company to make the repairs required.

Accordingly the Mexican engineer, Fugate, was permitted to Col. Ockerson, who in turn wired from St. Louis to the Secretary of the Interior as follows: "Fugate was just received authorizing the completion of work by Department Fomento. Formal papers being prepared covering free entry to follow. Expect to leave for Yuma 25."

Therefore Col. Ockerson should now be in Yuma and work should begin on the levees very soon. Gen. Marshall said today that the levee would be restored to the Abasco River on the Arizona boundary, between the Colorado River and the Abasco River channel. This will take 10,000 yards of dirt. The levee above Volcan Lake from New River to Padrones River will be raised three and one-half feet, and the ground will be widened to twelve feet. This work requiring 175,000 yards of material. Assistant Secretary Thompson returned to Washington from Mexico this morning.

TO SHUT OUT INDEPENDENTS.

Washington Sees an Attempt to Do
That in Sugar Trust Bid to Carry
the Mail.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) An offer to carry mail through the Panama canal at a cost of \$1000 or \$7000 a year, instead of for the proposed subsidy of \$750,000, was made this afternoon, when the military bid for carrying the mail was opened. The offer is made by the Hawaiian-American, commonly called the sugar trust line.

George B. Dearborn, president of the company, by way of explanation of his offer and an answer to the criticism

of the Bernard H. Baker testimony, has written to Chairman Clapp of the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee and Leader Mann, who was chairman of the House Interstate Commerce Committee until the Democrats took control of the House. The offer is regarded as an attempt to shut out any really independent line.

SEEKING RECIPROCITY.

Mexico Wants Closer Trade Relations
With United States When Conditions
Become More Normal.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Reciprocity with the United States will be one of the first important problems considered by Mexico as soon as conditions in that country are more settled, according to Crespo Y. Martinez, the Mexican Ambassador to the United States. In an interview here Senator Martinez expressed the opinion that commercial relations of the two countries would naturally expand within a few years without the aid of a special reciprocity treaty because of their geographical situation and their fundamentally different products. He says, however, that sentiment in favor of closer trade relations with the United States is general in Mexico and he believes reciprocity will be considered as soon as his country is "a little more pacified."

DEVISE NEW UNIFORMS.

WINTER SUITS FOR MARINES.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Marines of the United States soon may have winter uniforms more comfortable and serviceable for severe weather than the uniforms now worn by this branch of Uncle Sam's service. A board of officers composed of Col. J. E. Mahoney, Lieut.-Col. C. L. McCauley and E. K. Cole, Maj. Don Williams and Capt. L. M. Gullick, is now inquiring into the subject and probably will make public the results of its investigations within a short time.

FIVE VACANCIES TO BE FILLED.

PRESIDENT WILL NOT HURRY TO
NAME NEW JUDGES.

To Wait Until Congress Meets
After Holidays Before Selecting
Appointees for Supreme Court and
Federal Bench to Succeed Grosscup.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) If he keeps grip on present intention, President Taft will not make appointments to fill the existing vacancies in the Supreme, Circuit and District courts until Congress reconvenes after the holidays. The week between Christmas and New Year's Day will be devoted in part to consideration of the merits of the candidates pending final decision as to the men to be named.

There are today five Federal bench seats to be filled. The list is an associate justice of the Supreme Court to succeed Justice Harlan; a judge of the Seventh Circuit to succeed Judge Grosscup; a district judge in Montana to succeed Judge Rasher; a judge in the Southern District of New York to succeed Judge Adams, and a judge in the Eastern District of Wisconsin to succeed Judge Quinlan.

OTHER APPOINTMENTS.

The President will also appoint a

member of the International Boundary Committee to succeed Senator Carter of Montana, who died recently. This appointment is regarded by the President as a large honor to a judicial position.

If the vacancy created by the resignation of Judge Grosscup is filled as it may be, by a promotion from the district bench, Mr. Taft will have another judge to appoint.

A district judge in the Northwest is known to be very ill, his condition being such that he may be compelled to leave the bench. Another vacancy, therefore, is apparent, to be added to the list.

The President is beset with troubles over the coming judicial appointments. In the meantime there are political troubles for the Republican politicians are insistent that party men shall be named to fill the vacancies. The President's reply to the important has been in every case that abilities being equal, he is willing to appoint Republicans, but otherwise, he will appoint Democrats.

POLITICIANS ACTIVE.

This word from the appointing authority is not balm to the politicians. When he first entered on his present office Mr. Taft said with proper emphasis, to show he was not a party man, that his appointments to the bench would be based on fitness and ability, as far as he was able to judge of fitness.

In Montana, where there is a district judge vacancy, Senator Dixon's following and a number of former Senator Carter's following, are ready with two candidates.

The vacancy in the Eastern Wisconsin District also is causing trouble, and so is that in Southern New York. Trouble of a kind which always accompanies the activities of men who have an eye first to political effect and second to ability.

ESPEE LECTURES POPULAR.

Thousands of Persons Entertained
at the Chicago Land Show by Lectures
of the Harriman Lines.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The popularity of California at the big Land Show here is illustrated in the attendance at the lectures given under the auspices of the Southern Pacific. Including yesterday 244 lectures had been given

and were heard by 25,000 people. The big Espee exhibit occupies one end of the Coliseum building taking up a space 70x100 feet. There are two lecture rooms surrounded by soundproof material each seating 500 people. The walls are covered with paintings and photographs of scenes in the fifteen States through which the Harriman lines run. The exits are so made that the people leaving the theaters pass a counter forty feet long containing literature describing the country traversed by the Espee lines. The lectures are illustrated.

EXPLOSIVE.

MAN IS LOADED
WITH DYNAMITE.

BLOWN TO PIECES AS HE FALLS
FROM TRAIN.

Police of Gary (Ind.) Puzzled Over
Strange Accident in That City—Un-
able to Account for Man or Goods
He Carried—May Have Been
Blaster.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
GARY (Ind.) Nov. 29.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) As the result of the death of an unknown man, who died in Mercy Hospital tonight from injuries received when he jumped or was thrown from the vestibule of the New York-Chicago east bound train No. 18 on the Lake Shore Railway in the western part of the city this afternoon, the Gary police are confronted with a dynamite mystery.

The body shot from the train, which was going at the rate of forty miles an hour, and when it struck the grade there was a series of explosions. Railroad employees, who rushed to the scene found the victim still living but frightfully mangled. Scattered nearby were a storage battery tester, electric wiring and the remnants of a powder-burned pouch which had probably contained the caps that were exploded.

The unconscious victim was rushed to the Mercy Hospital, where he died three hours later. His left arm and left arm were broken, his skull fractured and the face disfigured.

Members of the crew of Train No. 18, which passed through Gary at 2 p. m. half an hour before the twentieth Century Flyer speeds east, have no recollection of the passenger, and they declare that when the man dropped from the train all of the vestibule doors were closed.

Chief Martin and Capt. Newman of the Gary police scout the story that the man may have intended to place a bomb on the train. Two other theories are also advanced. One is that the dead man may have planned to pull off a robbery in the city, and on the other hand papers found on the body might indicate that the victim was an Illinois Steel Company scrap iron blaster. The victim is about 40 years old and was dressed in fairly good clothes.

SILVER.

INDIAN MIKE
ELUDES POSSES.

SHERIFF'S MEN DEEP IN WILDS
OF LAKE DISTRICT.

Authorities Are Proceeding on
Theory that the Renegade Red
Man and His Son Are Making for
the Wigwag of His Sister in
Sawaville.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
REDDING (Cal.) Nov. 29.—Indian Mike and his son, the renegades who are being pursued because of their part in last Friday's fatal wounding of Deputy Constable Blake, have led Sheriff Montgomery and posse away from telephone and telegraph communication and the result of the chase was not known here tonight. The Sheriff's posse has abandoned its base of supplies and is supposed to be in the vicinity of Eagle Lake, about half way between Dixie Valley and Susanville. It is from this locality that the news of the capture of the fugitives is expected.

All the Dixie Valley Indians, tribesmen of Indian Mike, have quit their camping places and sought the protection of white men, either in Fall River or in Susanville. Indian Mike long has been a terror

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Patriotism was the keynote of the address of the dozen or more speakers at the Los Angeles Realty board luncheon at the Hotel West yesterday. The meeting, customarily held on Thursdays, had been moved up a day on account of Thanksgiving, but the change did not in the least affect the attendance. About 150 heard the ringing addresses delivered.

Mayor Alexander gave a short talk upon the regular business of the meeting was attended to and then turned off to another speaking engagement. The Mayor predicted a clean and decisive victory for the candidates of sane government next Tuesday. He thanked the members of the realty board for the energetic way in which they pitched into the campaign, and urged that this energy must be evidence until the last vote shall have been counted. He was roundly cheered.

Following the luncheon, W. M. Garfield, president of the board, made a talk of some length in which he reviewed the situation to date and commended the realty men of the city for their determined and vigorous stand. The great victory of December 11, he declared, "will be won only at the cost of constant and earnest effort now until election day. Every one of us must be likely to have duty to the city from now on, forgetting business interests utterly. On election day every man must exercise his influence to prevent, so far as he can, an unfair battle at the polls."

BAD MEN COMING. "I am credibly informed," said the speaker, "that no less than 2000 imported ruffians will attempt to create a disturbance at some of the strategically situated polling places in the city on election day. Most of these ruffians, I am told, will be members of the Western Federation of Miners and of jobs and looking for trouble. It is the clever idea of the local ruffian makers that by importing these bullies they can escape blame for whatever may happen. There should be in the vicinity of each and every election place where anything like this is likely to happen a number of competent and resourceful watchers who will not be afraid to summon police aid in the event of the molestation of any voter by these hired bullies."

John H. Myers, City Auditor, carefully and at length explained the business of his department. He showed how the department has been built up in efficiency and the city's auditing methods perfected. Several of the lines of those seeking jobs on the auditor's ticket were named by this speaker.

Robert M. Lusk, president of the City Council and candidate for reelection, defended the anti-picketing ordinance as one of the greatest and most expedient pieces of legislation ever enacted in Los Angeles. He said some of the Socialist threats as to what might have been expected had not this ordinance been made a law. He lashed the Socialists with an inflammatory speech without mercy.

J. J. Andrews, candidate for reelection to the City Council, declared that the Socialists, if they were allowed to realize and admit that the Alexander administration could carry out in the next two years, great enterprises that the Harrison administration could not bring to pass in twenty.

"If municipal ownership is really a Socialist principle, why are they not willing to let the city carry out its municipal project under the present management and efficient management?" Mr. Andrews aptly inquired.

John Topham, candidate for the council, declared that the continuation of property in this city depends upon the perpetuation of the open shop policy. "Under industrial freedom every man, who wants a job, has one at wages or a salary sufficient to enable him to acquire property and rise in the world," said the speaker. "I know," he added, "because I bought a home on payments myself, and have been a laborer among the laboring men of the city."

Mr. Frederick C. Langdon and Charles McKenna, candidates for the council, spoke briefly. "There isn't a candidate on the Socialist ticket," declared the latter speaker, "who isn't putting a lot more money into the campaign than he ever paid as a tax to the city. Yet they are howling about taxes," he significantly added.

Five candidates for the school board were present at the meeting. W. Frank J. M. Quinn, Mrs. T. C. Quinn, J. H. Quinn, Frank and Guine asked that they be re-elected on the strength of their past services to the city as members of the Board of Education. The latter laid great stress upon the fact that the Socialists are trying to make the board a partisan body, and his orders from a bunch of holders and politicians. "The job of every efficient school teacher in Los Angeles would be placed in jeopardy by the election of the Socialist board," he declared.

Not the failure of the board to \$200,000 worth of bonds for imperative improvements in the next few months stand as a threat to the city," said Quinn. "We are not able to sell these bonds after this Socialist menace is allowed to hinder and if Harrison I do not believe that a new bond will be built in the next three years."

Mr. Craig explained her position upon the question of public health. "I have been misquoted and my attitude misrepresented," she declared. "I believe in the protection of the health of the school children in this city, and in the enforcement of every existing health law."

Only by the election of the sane government for school board on the Government ticket can the city of Los Angeles going to be able to get 100 cents worth of value for every dollar expended," said Quinn.

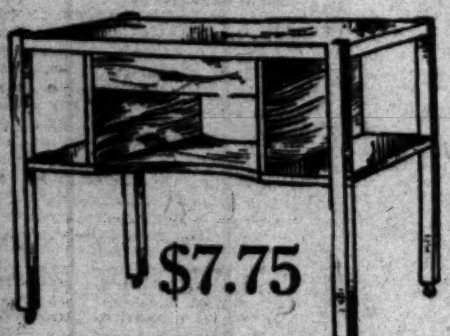
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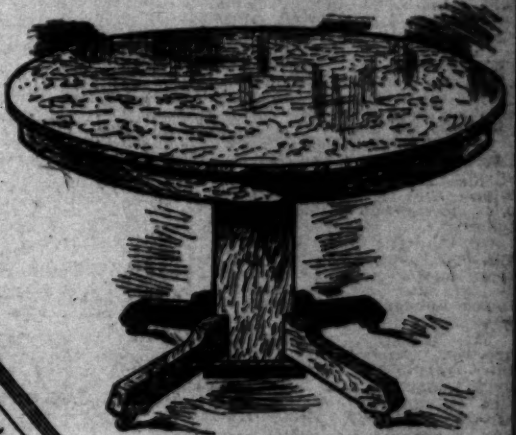
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The falsity of the Socialist charges as to the disposal of the surplus water of the Owens River as stated in the Socialist campaign paper "The Coming Victory" will be debated tonight at the Temple Auditorium, Fifth and Olive streets, by Thomas E. Gibbon, member of the Harbor Commission and Job Harriman, Socialist candidate for Mayor.

Mr. Gibbon proposes to substantiate his assertion that the statements of the campaign paper concerning the disposal of the aqueduct water, the development of the harbor and the municipal railway are false and misleading. Mr. Harriman undertakes to substantiate the truth of these statements.

The debate was agreed to by representatives of the Good Government Organization and the Socialist party yesterday and is to begin promptly at 8 o'clock. Mr. Gibbon is to have the opening argument, limited to forty-five minutes. Mr. Harriman is to follow with an answer of one hour, during which he will defend the assertions of the campaign paper. Mr. Gibbon will have fifteen minutes for closing argument. The meeting is expected to be the climax of the most strenuous and important campaign Los Angeles has known.

The debate grows out of the challenge Mr. Gibbon made Monday night at the Alexander meeting at the Auditorium when he was disputing the assertions of the campaign paper. The correspondence between him and Mr. Harriman that followed has already been published.

This correspondence seemed to indicate that Harriman would not meet Gibbon's conditions fully and it was feared the debate might not take place. But yesterday afternoon Harriman sent another letter to Gibbon accepting Gibbon's terms and the latter promptly agreed to debate tonight.

The details were arranged by the joint committee composed of Albert Lee Stephens, S. C. Graham and W. F. Bryant, representing the Good Government Organization and Louis N. W. R. Gaylord and T. W. Williams, representing the Socialists.

Under the arrangements of the joint committee 175 tickets of admission will be delivered to each side this morning and will be delivered after 11 o'clock. These tickets will be so distributed that the Socialists and others will not be seated together in separate portions of the house, but will be intermingled throughout the mammoth auditorium. When it became known late yesterday that the debate was a certainty there was an immediate demand for seats.

Owing to the shortage of time in which to make a distribution the Good Government Organization has decided to distribute its share to the precinct committeemen, district captains, candidates and officials connected with the organization, and all of these in the capacities stated are requested to call at Good Government headquarters in the basement of the Fox Building between 11 and 4 o'clock today. The Socialists will distribute their tickets after 11 o'clock this morning from their headquarters at Main and Winston streets.

The doors of the Auditorium will be opened at 8:30 o'clock and there will positively be no admission except by ticket.

In the committee conferences yesterday it was hoped by Gibbon that Harriman would arrange a second debate for Friday evening, but the theater would not be secured for tomorrow evening. Gibbon consented to a second debate Saturday afternoon, but late last night Harriman's reply had not been received.

The final letter of Harriman, on which Gibbon promptly based his agreement, follows:

LOS ANGELES (Cal.) Nov. 29, 1911.
MR. T. E. GIBBON, Los Angeles—Dear Sir: Our challenges and counter challenges have crossed and returned each other. To sum the situation up in a few words I send you the following:

Your suggestion of a committee is utterly impracticable for lack of time. I accept your challenge to discuss the propositions you propounded in your first statement.

I have challenged Mayor Alexander many times to debate these questions and he has always refused. Our speakers have challenged the Good Government speakers for months to do the same thing. JOB HARRIMAN.

Now, at the eleventh hour, you make a sport for all of them. You do this evidently to gain an unfair advantage. You have at your disposal five of the six daily papers in this city, and your papers are eminently unfair. They distort the facts and hide the truth.

Now, if you are not bluffing, as I suspect you are from the vicious false statements made in this morning's Tribune, over your signature, accept the terms—your own terms—and come out Thursday and Friday night at Temple Auditorium. (It will be impossible for me to debate with you on Saturday evening.) The meeting will be arranged by a joint committee, my end of the committee will convey this letter to you in person.

Very truly yours, JOB HARRIMAN.

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The Times has arranged to present every voter who calls at its office, No. 531 South Spring street and No. 118 South Broadway, between now and election day, with a small American flag. This miniature flag is the emblem of the Citizens' Campaign Committee, and it identifies the voters who stand for the constructive American principles of government rather than the destructive un-American doctrine of the Socialists.

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Open Door at Luna Park Sunday When Former Milwaukee Mayor Talks Against Prohibition.

A free gate and free rides will be the order of the day at Luna Park on Sunday next. Every effort is being made by the managers of the anti-prohibition mass meeting to be held at the park, to bring out a great crowd to hear David E. Rose, former mayor of Milwaukee. Some time during the afternoon Mr. Rose will make an address on the experiences of prohibition States and prohibition cities, his remarks being founded on personal experience and study.

Mr. Rose has figured all over the United States in recent years, at every license and no license battle. Those who have heard him say that he has a new fund of experiences to relate with every change of location of the prohibition propaganda.

However, before coming to Los Angeles, he made a study of the city's finances, and it is expected that here his speech will be devoted largely to an analysis of what will ensue if the revenue received by the city from the various license players is cut off.

The managers of the meeting are endeavoring to make the park a pleasant place to remain throughout the day, although it is expected that the big crowd will come during the afternoon when Mr. Rose is to speak. The exact hour has not been decided.

TRUTH ABOUT SAN FERNANDO LANDS.

(Continued from Sixth Page.)

to apologize for, nothing to defend in the legitimate project which we have undertaken. The progress made thus far has vindicated our judgment and action, and we stand in no dread of any just popular verdict, based on the facts, touching the substantial and honest results sure to follow in good time.

A word more as to my own personal connection with the enterprise, since I have been the subject of so much false and absurd misrepresentation on account of it. My individual holdings are as an open book; they are strictly legitimate, though not large; so that one of my few regrets over the entire enterprise is because my own interest in it is no greater.

There is a constant, persistent, impudent iteration and reiteration by the Socialist orators and publication of the falsehood that E. T. Earl has some connection with the San Fernando enterprise here described. The attempt seems to be to throw discredit upon myself and the enterprise by associating our names with his. Earl has nothing whatever to do with this enterprise; he has no connection with us whatever, nor I any connection with him. This ought to be obvious to everybody—by this time.

Finally, I say to the people of Los Angeles, on my unimpeachable honor as a man and a citizen: You are not being robbed by the projectors of this enterprise in the Valley of the San Fernando, or elsewhere—Job Harriman and his Socialist marauders and contrivances to the contrary, notwithstanding.

H. G. OTIS,
Chairman of the Board of Control

RECOVERS FROM PLAGUE.

STOCKTON (Cal.) Nov. 29.—Angelo Bianchi, who several weeks ago was ordered into quarantine by the Federal authorities as a bubonic plague patient, and on account of whose illness a governmental crusade against squirrels and rodents was started under the auspices of Dr. Rupert Blue's office, has fully and completely recovered from his illness and is permitted to visit his family again daily at his uptown office. The complete recovery of Mr. Bianchi is expected to be announced by his attending physician.

Big Alexander Rally.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Progressive League, a grand rally will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening, in the Westlake Methodist Church, at Burlington avenue and Eighth street. The meeting will be addressed by Mayor Alexander, E. B. Drake, Mrs. R. L. Craig and others. The public is cordially invited.

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Cities and Towns of Los Angeles County.

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES

AN AUTO CYCLE
OF ACCIDENTS.Four-Year-Old Boy Killed
Before Father's Eyes.Wife of Wealthy Lumberman
Dies in the East.Liquor Can Be Sold Until
Election Is Called.

(Times of the Times, 11 S. Fair Oaks avenue.)

PARADISE, Nov. 30.—Three auto-
mobile accidents occurred within a
few minutes of each other late yes-
terday afternoon.Ernest Stover, the 4-year-old son of
Mr. and Mrs. J. Stover, of No. 10
Franklin street, was killed instantly
when he was riding on his bicycle
and was struck by an automobile
owned by J. F. Hawley of
No. 241 South Marengo avenue, at
the intersection of Franklin street.
About a quarter of an hour pre-
ceding the Stover accident an auto-
mobile owned by Ernest H. Lock-
wood, of No. 57 South Raymond ave-
nue, struck a grocery cart and hurled
Paul Miles, aged 19 years, of No.
513 East Orange Grove avenue, to
the pavement. He was bruised and
killed by the fall.Less than half an hour after the
Stover accident H. C. Ellenburger of
No. 413 Cypress street ran his auto-
mobile into a pole at the corner of
Fair Oaks avenue and Glenhurst
street. C. W. Proctor, who was riding
on his bicycle, was thrown out and
was taken to his home, No. 46 Orange
block, in a seriously bruised condi-
tion.It was an automobile laden with
Thanksgiving Day dinners for poor
families in Los Angeles that caused
the death of the Stover child. With
Hawley in the car was Miss Virginia
Pease, who has charge of the Para-
dise Polytechnic Elementary
school. The two had just left the
Throop building and Hawley de-
clares they were traveling at a rate
of between twelve and fifteen miles
an hour. They were going west on
California street and Stover was riding
east. The little boy was perched
upon the handle bars of the bicycle.
They were behind a street car upon
which Mrs. Stover was a passenger.The bicyclist turned abruptly
north on Franklin street and came
directly in the path of the auto-
mobile.The left lamp of the automobile
struck the boy on the side of the head,
crushing his skull. Stover was
drugged under the machine, but was
not run over.He realized that his son had not
been killed, but was so severely in-
jured that he could not get up and
the automobile was moved from over
him. Mrs. Stover left the street car
and ran to the scene of the accident.
Stover was taken to the Pasadena
Hospital, and the body of the baby
was taken to the undertaking estab-
lishment of Turner & Stevens.The other collision occurred when
Lockwood attempted to pass an auto-
mobile immediately in front of him
as he drove north on Fair Oaks ave-
nue, and found that the grocery cart,
which preceded the first machine,
blocked his path. He was unable to
bring his car to a standstill quickly
enough to avoid the collision.The automobile struck the side of
the cart and Miles was thrown out
and the horse ran away.Despite his injuries, the driver was
quickly upon his feet and after the
frightened animal. He ran a dis-
tance of about 300 feet and then fell
exhausted on the pavement.He was taken to his home and it
was announced there last night that
although no bones are broken he is
severely bruised about the hips.A message received today by the
caretakers of the Weyerhaeuser winter
home stated that Mrs. Elizabeth
Weyerhaeuser, wife of the multi-
millionaire lumberman, died last night
at 7 o'clock, yesterday morning.Mrs. Weyerhaeuser was 73 years of
age. She had been ill a month, and
her husband was waiting for her to
recover sufficiently to be brought out
to Southern California for the winter.The funeral will take place Friday,
according to the message.

LIQUOR ORDINANCE ADOPTED.

The City Council at a special ses-
sion last night adopted the liquor
ordinance that was passed upon at
first reading last Tuesday. It will be-
come effective December 15 and will
be the ordinance under which the
sale of liquor in the city will be re-
gulated until an election is held.The Councilmen also last night
conferred with Paul Shoup, vice-
president and general manager of
the Pacific Electric company, in con-
nection with the franchise for an ex-
tension of the Washington-street car
line, asked for by the Nazarene Uni-
versity.

WILL SURRENDER.

H. M. Carroll of San Francisco,
general agent of the Pacific Tele-
phone and Telegraph Company, ar-
rived in the city yesterday and con-
ferred with Mayor Thum, City At-
torney Carr and Councilman Rhodes.
The upshot was that it is reported
the company will ask the City Coun-
cil when it convenes next Tuesday
for the franchise against which the
company has been fighting in the
courts for several years.

CITY BIEFS.

The contest for queen of the
tournament of roses was given up
yesterday. Miss Bessie Mattison and
Miss Elizabeth Sherry, the only two
contestants that were left in the race
in which a number started with-
draw. The tournament of roses as-
sociation will make no effort to get
new contestants. The idea will be
abandoned, and there will be no
tournament queen.Thanksgiving Day services will
be held today at the First Methodist
church, the Friends Church and St.
Andrew's.the gasoline tank of which had
sprung a leak.
William H. Vedder has been elect-
ed vice-president of the Pasadena
Clearing-house Association, to suc-
ceed Ernest H. May, resigned.
CONDUCTOR INJURED.E. L. Bowman, a conductor, em-
ployed on the Pasadena Short Line,
lost part of his foot and was se-
riously injured when he fell from a
train at Raymond and Holly streets while en-
gaged in rolling up the side curtains
preparatory to making the return
trip to Los Angeles.The train was moving slowly when
the conductor alighted and grasping
one of the curtains was about to put
in place when his foot slipped and
threw him directly under the trucks.
He was picked up in an unconscious
condition and removed to the Pas-
adena Hospital.Carriers wanted. Times office,
Pasadena.Mrs. Alcott, No. 61 North Euclid,
has the exclusive sale of Miss Nis-
sen's hand-woven bags.Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.
Artists' materials at Wadsworth's.
If you are thankful tomorrow if
you will be more thankful tomorrow if
you visit Grace Nicholson's charm-
ing gift shop, No. 71 Los Robles ave-
nue, and complete your gift list from
her wonderful stock of California and
oriental novelties.

GENERAL SCHOOL ORDER.

County Superintendent Requires In-
formation When Discrimination Is
Made in Teachers' Salaries.SOUTH PARADISE, Nov. 29.—
Union Thanksgiving services will
be held at the Methodist church, El
Centro street and Fairview avenue,
tomorrow morning. Rev. J. W. Great-
house, pastor of the Baptist church,
will preach the sermon. Special music
will be provided by the Methodist
church choir.The salaries of Miss Alice C. Gray
and T. F. Bridgman, two South Para-
dise school principals, are said to be
the cause of a communication sent to
all school trustees of the county by
County Superintendent of Schools
Keppel. He asks the trustees to re-
port all cases where women teachers
are getting less than men doing the
same sort of work. There is a State
law which provides that women shall
not be paid less than men teachers for
the same work.The local high school basketball
team defeated the Occidental team on
the home grounds by a score of 42 to
15 recently. The locals this year have
one of the fastest teams in the history
of the school, and they hope to make
a good record this season, this victory
giving them a good start.While Howard Harris, the 9-year-
old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Harris
of No. 804 Monterey road, and Glenn
Barnes were coasting in small wagons
on Monterey road last night, they col-
lided with the auto of Dr. Stephen
Van Meter of Highland Park, in the
excitement both the automobile and
coaster were steered into the curb-
ing, where they collided, the coaster being
wrecked. The Harris boy was only
dazed, and the Barnes boy escaped
injury.POMONA.
POMONA VOTES
AGAINST BONDS.MANNER OF PRESENTING ISSUE
CAUSES ITS DEFEAT.Nearly Two to One Against Spend-
ing Additional Money for Schools.
Grand and Exalted Ruler of Elks
Visits the Orange Country—Tree-
Trimmer Falls.POMONA, Nov. 29.—By an over-
whelming majority, the proposition to
vote \$200,000 bonds—\$100,000 for
high school and \$100,000 for grade
school uses—was defeated at the spe-
cial election held here yesterday.There were 122 votes against and 55
for the high school issue, and 1055
for and 553 against the grade school
issue, a two-thirds majority being nec-
essary to carry the bonds. A light
vote was cast, when the total regis-
tration of the city is considered.It was the first opportunity the
women of Pomona have had to vote
and considerable interest was at-
tached to the balloting. Although the
members of the Board of Education,
the Board of Trade and others worked
faithfully and diligently to carry the
issue, there were many here who,
while favoring generally the \$100,000
for grade schools, opposed the \$100,
000 for high school uses, and some
have maintained from the outset that
\$200,000 voted jointly was too large a
sum. It is believed that if the call
had been for \$100,000 the bonds
would have carried and the result is
not taken as indicating any backward
step by this progressive city, which
has the reputation of maintaining an
excellent school system.Although Pomona has splendid
school buildings, with the growth of
the city comes additional needs, and
doubtless next year, if the bond mat-
ter is presented in a different amount
and manner, the issue will be voted.John P. Sullivan, Grand Exalted
Ruler of the Order of Elks, and F. C.
Robinson, Grand Secretary, were here
for a few minutes yesterday en route
to Los Angeles, and were met at the
Salt Lake depot by many members of
the local lodge. The Pomona Elks
will hold their annual Lodge of Sor-
row at the Belvedere Theater on Sun-
day. J. M. McQuay of Los Angeles
will be the guest of honor, and H. H. Craig
of Riverside, the orator.Joseph Rummier, while trimming
away trees from telephone wires at
China, in a windstorm, yesterday, fell
twenty feet to the ground and suffered
a fractured rib and strained shoulder.
He was taken to his home on Grand
avenue, this city. The wind blew
down the main street and telephone
poles the first of the week.Mr. and Mrs. George Dillman are
entertaining at a Thanksgiving home
party at their home, No. 215 San
Francisco street. Their guests are
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Conna, Mrs. M.
Barnell of Hollywood and Mrs. J. W.
Flavelle of Ontario.The contract for the erection of the
new business block of the Pomona
Investment Company has been let to
Carl Leonard of Los Angeles, and
work will be commenced soon. The
lot at Third and Thomas streets has
been cleared and everything is ready
for the excavation for the basement
and foundation.Eight Daily Trains.
To San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda and
Stockton, daily by the tourist and
week-end train. Also daily to
San Jose, San Diego, Southern
California.San Bernardino.
CEMENT FIGHT
BEGINS AGAIN.MILLIONS INVOLVED AND LIFE
OF AN INDUSTRY.Orange Lands Are Damaged by
Clouds of Dust and Court Asks
Why Company Has Not Complied
With Commands—Case May Be
Carried to Higher Courts.SAN BERNARDINO, Nov. 29.—
Justice B. F. Hildesoe today cited the
officials of the California Portland
Cement Company to appear before
him December 11, and show cause
why they should not be fined for
contempt of court for their alleged
failure to comply with the terms of
the court injunction shutting down
the cement plant because of the
damage done to orange groves by the
dust.The plaintiff's original suit alleged
that the plants were still running,
and that the dust was unabated. The
company, it was claimed by officials,
had installed costly dust-catching de-
vices, and was endeavoring by all
known means to comply with the
court's order to prevent dust from
accumulating on the orange trees.The State Supreme Court upheld
the decision of the lower court in
granting the injunction to close the
plant, which represents an invest-
ment of several million dollars. The
case has attracted wide attention,
and it would seem, orange growers
here asserted today, that a second
round fight is now in prospect.

BURNED TO DEATH.

The 4-year-old son of Mr. and
Mrs. John Aviedo sustained burns to-
day from which the child died in a
few hours. The child was playing
with matches, and his garments be-
came ignited. The mother, hearing
her baby boy's screams, rushed to
him with her skirts. She smothered
the fire, but before the child had
been burned from his waist to his
neck. Mrs. Aviedo was also badly
burned about the hands and face.Elizabeth B. Thompson is suing
T. B. Coats of Redlands in the Su-
perior Court for \$20,000 damages al-
leged to have been sustained as a
result of Miss Thompson's arrest
charged with "indecent exposure."The charge was preferred
against her by Coats, who had given
her a verbal lease of a lodging-house
and then wanted to compel her to
vacate the premises, it is alleged.When the embroilment charge was
tried the jury disagreed and the
action was dismissed.In the testimony today it cropped
out that Miss Thompson had taken
a shot at Coats when she thought
the latter had made an improper re-
mark to her at the rooming-house.Three surgeons commenced work
today on fifty pepper trees in Luce
Park. The trees have been growing
for many years and the big pepper
trees have been cutting, while cavities
in their trunks have seemed to
increase rapidly in size. The trees
doctors believe that they will be able
to stay the process of decay.Benito Molina and Juan Segalla,
arrested in connection with the mur-
der of Deputy Sheriff Manuel Gon-
zales at Montone, Sunday morning,
today confessed to Sheriff Rainey
that they had witnessed the killing,
and that it was done by Juan Lopez
and Marcario Mendez, both of whom
are in custody. Gonzales was killed
because he had betrayed the pres-
ence of bootleggers and blind piggers
in the Redlands section.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Board of Trade of Huntington Park
Favors Fortifications of Los Angeles
Harbor.HUNTINGTON BEACH, Nov. 29.—
The Board of Trade at its annual
meeting held last night elected offi-
cers for the ensuing year, as fol-
lows: Thomas B. Talbert, president;
Dr. George A. Shank, first and W. C.
O'Connor, second vice-president;
Louis Paul Hart, secretary; Ralph E.
Graves, treasurer; Arthur L. Reed,
M. C. Rosenberg, H. T. Suter, W. E.
C. Clippinger, Arthur E. Palmer, R.
H. Meyer and C. H. Howard, direc-
tors.Resolutions favoring the fortifying
of Los Angeles Harbor by the Fed-
eral government were unanimously
adopted and copies of same will be
sent to the members of Congress from
this State and the Secretary of War
and President of the United States.The monthly banquet of the Asso-
ciated Chambers of Commerce of Or-
ange county will be held here at the
Huntington Inn, on December 27 next.
C. S. Bundeschuh of El Modena has
purchased a new lot here on which
to erect a reinforced concrete build-
ing to be used as an undertaking es-
tablishment. The contract for erect-
ing the building will be let shortly.

THREATENING THE TOWN.

I Won't Workers Say They Intend
to Control Redondo Beach by the
First of the Year.REDONDO BEACH, Nov. 29.—An
organizer of the order of Independ-
ent Workers of the World held a
meeting on the streets of this city last
night. He claimed that the city would
be under their influence entirely by
the first of the year. He also stated
that they would tie up the wharves
and for a time control the advance-
ment of importing and exporting.The City Council and police force
were severely criticized in very strong
terms and also threatened, but were
unable to defend themselves in any
way, as only Monday night an ordi-
nance was passed at the Council
meeting, prohibiting street speaking
of any sort and it will not take effect
until Tuesday, December 12, when
the entire police force if necessary
will break up any meeting the inde-
pendent Workers of the World may
endeavor to hold.Members met regularly every
Tuesday night.
Charles Grassell, who has con-
ducted a large grocery store and
butcher shop in this city for some
years, will withdraw from business
Friday, December 1. He sold his in-
terests to P. W. Santa and P. De-
mond, who have had charge of the
fruit stand in connection with the
store. C. M. Trowbridge, who has
been in charge of the butcher shop,
bought and will manage that depart-
ment.Long Beach.
BUSTLING RALLY
OF FAIR SEX.WOMEN FLOCK TO AID OF THEIR
CANDIDATE.More than 1500 Attend Meeting at
Auditorium—Union Thanksgiving
Services to Be Held Today—High
School and Alumni Elevens Will
Contest for Honors in Final Game.LONG BEACH, Nov. 29.—A polit-
ical rally and meeting, conducted
entirely by women, was held here
tonight at the Auditorium, in the in-
terests of Miss Mabel Taylor, candi-
date for Tax and License Collector on
the Citizens' ticket, and the first wom-
an in the State to be recognized for
a municipal office. An audience of
nearly 1500 persons, the majority of
whom were women, attended. Speeches
were made by Misses Cora M. Mor-
gan, M. H. Jordan, M. A. English and
Miss Taylor. Attorney L. N. Wheaton,
who, from the start, has championed
Miss Taylor, though he is identified in
a measure with the opposition party,
also addressed the gathering.Union Thanksgiving services will be
held tomorrow morning at the First
Christian Church. The annual sermon
will be delivered by Rev. S. Dell
Johnston of the Methodist Church,
South, and a collection will be taken
for the charity fund.The football season in Long Beach
will close tomorrow with a game be-
tween the High School squad and the
alumni, many of the members of the
latter being football players in Southern
California colleges. William Klein-
holz, a former University of Minne-
sota football player, will referee the
contest.Contractor McGrew today notified
the postoffice inspectors that the new
postoffice building will be ready for
occupancy tomorrow, as specified in
the contract. Owing to the fact that
tomorrow is a holiday, the removal of
the office probably will be delayed un-
til Sunday, when there will be no mail
delivered to the office.Mrs. M. E. Erwin, living on Orange
avenue, was burned this morning in a
peculiar way. Unfastening a tight
cover on a pot containing potatoes,
the steam and particles of the vege-
tables flew up in her face, striking her
in the eyes and temporarily blinding
her.Funeral services for the late Frank
McCutcheon were held this morning.
Many friends of the deceased attend-
ing. Three wagons were required to
carry the floral tributes. The pall-
bearers were members of the Masonic
fraternity, and the services were in
charge of the Knights Templar. The
body was interred in Los Angeles.Mrs. A. H. Phelps of Los Angeles
today bought the Townsend block on
East First street, 50x150 feet, paying
\$25,000 cash and exchanging a twenty-
five-acre ranch at Gardena, valued at
\$25,000.Building permits for the month of
November totaled \$176,000, bringing
the total for the year to \$1,728,000,
which is half a million in excess of
the entire total for the year 1910.An autopsy this morning on the
body of Spencer Randall, who was
found in his room yesterday, re-
vealed that the cause of death was
due to pneumonia. His son is en route
from Spokane and will arrive to-
morrow. A sister, who lives in Los
Angeles, arrived today and will ar-
range for the burial.Capt. Loop, who is planning to hunt
whales this winter in the launch
Camilla, has received a whaleboat
from New Bedford. It is a double-
ender, thirty-four feet long, with
four sets of carlocks.

TURKEY FOR VETERANS.

Thanksgiving Day Banquet and
Holiday Arranged for Old Soldiers.

TWO VACANT CHAIRS.

SOLDIERS HOME, Nov. 29.—Gen-
eral orders announce that tomorrow
will be a holiday. The menu for
dinner on that day, is: Roast turkey
with celery dressing, giblet gravy,
cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes,
cream onions, celery, pickles, chow-
chow, pumpkin pie, cheese, apples,
raisins, graham and white bread,
olives, margarine and coffee.The body of Edward K. Richard-
son, who died suddenly while stroll-
ing in the park at Santa Monica on
Monday, was brought to the home,
where he had lived since 1908, and the
funeral will be held here this after-
noon. Richardson served in the Civil
War in Co. K, Second New Jersey In-
fantry. He was a native of England,
and aged 60.Charles G. Cunningham, formerly of
Co. E, Second Indiana Cavalry, a na-
tive of Indiana, admitted from
Morenci, Ariz., in 1904, died November
27, aged 75.Chin's, Backache,
Near-y Ended LifeA Lady in Highwood, Mich., Has
Strong Faith in Benefit Obtained
From Cardui.Highwood, Mich.—In a letter from this
place, Mrs. Enos Avery says: "I suffered
for years, with womanly trouble, but
for the last two years, I had such dizzy spells,
chills, and backache, I was hardly able to
drag around. I was in a serious condition.
My strength was nearly gone, and I was
so bad, for weeks, that I was sure I was
going to end my life.My daughter got me a bottle of Cardui,
and when I took it first, I had no faith in
it. But before I had taken half the bottle,
I was better. Now, I can do my own work
again, and I will never cease to praise
Cardui."If Cardui was good for Mrs. Avery, it
certainly should be good for you.And it is. We know this, because for
more than half a century, Cardui has been
helping other sick women back to health
and strength.Cardui strengthens, builds, restores, and
relieves or prevents unnecessary pain and
suffering, in womanly trouble.In the past fifty years, it has helped
more than a million women.

We urge you to try it.

N. B.—Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept.,
Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page
book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent
in plain wrapper, no post.

THE QUALITY STORE

Our
Thanksgivings

WE ARE THANK-
FUL for the prosperity
Southern California has
enjoyed during the past year.
The progressiveness of its Peo-
ple has made it one of the fore-
most cities of the United States,
with a glorious outlook for the
years to come. The Owens River
water—The Panama Canal—
1915 Exposition, offer special
inducements for growth and ad-
vancement.

On this occasion we wish to thank
our many friends and customers for
their kind approval of our methods,
and their generous patronage. Our
business has been increasing from
year to year, and this year's results
have been far above our expecta-
tions. We hope in years to come
you will also prosper, for with your
prosperity we will grow.

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Beauty of Exhibits.

California's marvelous display of fruits, vegetables, flowers and other products of her soil and climate at the land show and exhibition just held at the Coliseum in Chicago, caused the entire East and has already set many footprints in this direction, according to reports by the Chamber of Commerce.

California led every State represented at the show in the variety and wonderful perfection of the exhibits. Paraphrasing the words of the English sea captain who described the first international yacht race to Queen Victoria, "California was first and the rest were nowhere."

It was Southern California, according to Representatives Jasper and Wilson, who went to Chicago to look after the interests of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.

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A Glimpse of Southern California at the Chicago Land Show;

Many of the exhibits of mineral, agricultural and manufacturing wealth which far surpassed anything displayed by any other State represented at the great exposition, admittedly the most extensive since the World's Fair.

It is perhaps the best investment that has ever been made by the local Chamber of Commerce, for literally thousands, drawn by the remarkable display of Southland products, have already indicated their intention of migrating hither.

They stepped to the front among the exhibitors and because of the display from this section of the thousands of home seekers comparing to desert the East and to California to plant a "vine and fig tree" that will mean less toll for greater returns.

The photographs of the California land show reproduced show that the Los Angeles county and other counties in Southern California were the exhibitors which made the show the overwhelming success of it was. The exhibits were things of beauty and besides being attractive to the eye, aroused interest in people who are seeking for homes. The Californians at the show besieged every minute by great crowds of visitors who listened to every scrap of information that was given them concerning the State as a perfect place in which to live and thrive off the bounty of Mother Nature.

The Coliseum land show was the most, it is admitted, that was ever given and next to the World's Fair was the most instructive exhibition that has ever been seen in Chicago. The show was vastly greater than in preceding years. To illustrate this it may be said that this time the city of Los Angeles alone exhibited that was greater than the entire California exhibit of last year.

The lectures-room which was connected in connection with California's display, seated 1600 persons and was crowded every minute while the show lasted. The lectures consumed an hour and the audiences were in and out of the hall in regular succession. A squad of policemen was necessary at the doors in order to keep order through the throngs in check. The show dealt with various sections of California.

Los Angeles, San Diego and points in Southern California were the greatest of exhibits. Tulare, Fresno and other counties were behind in showing their natural wealth and resources. Exhibitors were present from Eastland and they watched jealous interest that was excited by the crowds of visitors at the show.

FOR THE POOR.

Over 1000 School Children Provided with Food for Thanksgiving.



A Glimpse of Southern California at the Chicago Land Show;

urged the members to work for the preservation of the Franciscan missions and other historic landmarks in this section of the State.

In company with members of the Chamber of Commerce, Congressman Knowland spent a busy day seeing the sights of the city. He will leave for Washington today.

With Cranberries.

Humor and Pathos Served With Pie and Fruit at Gigantic Spread Given by Hamburgers to Poor Waifs of the City Under Auspices of Associated Charities.

Three hundred and fifty hungry kids were the guests of A. Hamburger & Sons at a Thanksgiving dinner given in the Hamburger cafeteria, under the auspices of the Associated Charities, yesterday.

The total, representing all degrees of refinement and of nationality, came in response to messages sent out last week by the Associated Charities to families who are dependent upon the society for help.

At 3 o'clock p.m. the throng assembled at the entrance doors. On the fourth floor they were met by Santa Claus, who, assisted by two brownies, distributed candies, books and toys among them. The children went wild with delight, for many of them had never seen Santa before. Their enthusiasm was so extreme that Santa was compelled to beat a retreat.

Later he seated them at the tables, where roast turkey with dressing and cranberry sauce, brown sweet potatoes, rolls, mince and pumpkin pie, coffee, tea and milk were spread before them.

It was an affair filled with a sort of pathos, for many of the children had never tasted turkey or ever before sat down to so sumptuous a spread.

Two diminutive Russian girls refused the food before them. They said "It looks too good to eat." Later, however, their fears were banished and they entered into the conquest of grub with a vengeance.

Two little girls had turkey and the rest of the vinds, but no pie. Said one to the other: "Do you think they will give us any pie?" "Oh, no," they replied. "They'll not give us turkey and pie both," was the reply. Here the conversation was happily interrupted by the arrival of the pie.

During the course of the dinner several vocal selections were given by Prof. F. J. Behan, accompanied by Miss J. C. Gilman.

Postscript: Second Edition.

RE-OR'D BY WIRE IN THE EARLY MORNING HOURS.

JUST BEFORE GOING TO PRESS

News Gathered From Far and Near After 3 O'clock A.M.

POPE ADDRESSES
NEW CARDINALS.Final Ceremony of Their
Elevation Today.

Fierce Fighting in Tripoli Reported by Banks.

Arrest in Seattle in a "Black Hand" Case.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Nov. 29.—The final ceremony of the elevation of the new members of the sacred college will take place this morning in the Hall of the Beatification, when the red hat will be conferred on the eighteen new cardinals, who include three American prelates—Mgr. Falconio, Archbishop Farley and Archbishop O'Connell.

The Pope received the new cardinals yesterday and accepted their homage. He imposed on them the red biretta, and in response to the address of Cardinal Falconio, who acted as dean, he expressed his deepest thanks for the sentiments of devotion. He praised the eminent prelates whom he had chosen to enter the apostolic college, because of their piety, culture, the signal services they had rendered to the church and their unlimited devotion to the Holy See.

The Pontiff gave particular greetings to the cardinals "coming from far America," saying:

"The enthusiasm with which the news of your elevation was received, the demonstrations of fraternal affection, the acclamations, accompanied by benedictions, affectionate salutations and best wishes on your departure from New York and Boston, and, finally, your triumphant voyage across the ocean, protected by the papal flag, give me not only hope, but absolute assurance that, on your return our Lord will multiply the fruits of your apostolate, while in that hospitable land which greets all peoples of the world and provides for their welfare through laws that mean liberty, the Almighty will reign and His glory will shine."

He expressed the hope that the example of Catholics in England and Holland would influence the return of others in these countries to the bosom of the church. He spoke sorrowfully of the persecution of the church in France, trusting the divine mercy would hasten the day of repentance, and ended by imparting the apostolic benediction.

BLACK HAND ARRESTED.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Nov. 29.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] A man living in Cross-town.

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MAYOR TALKS TO VOTERS WHO WANT NEW SERVICE.

Assures Them He Is Doing All He Can to Aid Solution of Transportation Problem of South Side and Order for Sale of Franchise Is Now Made.

Mayor George Alexander went among his friends and neighbors last night, delivering one address to the men and women who know the "old man" as he styles himself, as they know the neighbor who comes over to borrow the lawn mower or the housewife who comes in for a bit of yeast or a pint of flour.

The Mayor's "neighborhood address" which was given in a theater at Forty-fifth street and Moneta avenue, was the occasion for an enthusiastic ovation, but at that it was only a little more enthusiastic than a second meeting which he spoke at during the evening and which was held at Normandie Hall, 1480 West Jefferson street. Here an audience in which there was a large sprinkling of colored people, greeted him with cheers and handclapping and listened thoughtfully to the forceful arguments that he presented against the "red flag" and socialism.

And when the Mayor opened his address at Forty-fifth street by saying that the residents in that section of Los Angeles should have the cross-town lines that they have been hoping and praying for many weary months, he received an ovation that brought a smile of pleasure which brightened the rugged lines of his countenance.

"I want to tell you people that you will have your cross-town car—the cars that you have been fighting for," said Mayor Alexander when he opened his speech. "I have been fighting for them night and day and

"I did my duty," he told his hearers. "If that explosion had been in Labor Temple and twenty persons had been crushed killed I would have spent money to knock down the assassin just as I did when the Times building was destroyed."

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VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday.

ALVAREZ-MCKAY. Robert S. Alvarez, 27; Edna

MCKAY, 27. Married at 10:30 a.m.

HILWELL-CLARK. Miss L. Hilwell, 23; Rita

CLARK, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

BALES-ARNOLD. Edward Bales, 23; Matilda

ARNOLD, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

FELIX-ARNDT. George T. Felix, 23; Anna

ARNDT, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

FOX-OLYMPIE. Chester A. Fox, 23; Ella

OLYMPIE, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

FOX-NEUMER. Elliott E. Fox, 23; Cecilia

NEUMER, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

GIBSON-PRISLER. Harry Gibson, 23;

Louise Prisler, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

GOODMAN-THOMAS. Clayton H. Good-

man, 23; Mabel M. Thomas, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

GOODMAN-WILSON. Harry Goodwin, 23; Zada

WILSON, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

HAWLEY-FAIRIE. Burton W. Hawley, 23; S.

Fairie, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

JOHNSON-EDWARD. Alfred Johnson, 23;

Katie E. Edward, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

JONES-REDDON. Fred N. Jones, 24; Jane

REDDON, 24. Married at 10:30 a.m.

KILMER-OPLE. William J. Kilmer, 23;

Florence Ople, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

MCNEIL-CLUTE. William A. McNeil, 23;

Florence Clute, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

MCNEIL-CLUTE. George W. McNeil, 23;

Florence Clute, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

NEIL-BELL. Arthur W. Neil, 23; Emma G.

BELL, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

NEUMER-LODOLLA. Edward Neumer, 23;

Louise Lodolla, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

PENDER-BAFFER. Frederick A. Pender,

23; Maud Baffer, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

REIL-CAHILL. Herbert R. Reil, 23;

Marie P. Cahill, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

RICKON-CHERHROK. Edward W. Rickon, 23;

May I. Cherhrok, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

SILVIA-DIAZ. Lorenzo Silvia, 23; Maria

DIAZ, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

SKIRRETT-PRICKARD. William J. Skir-

rett, 23; Agatha Prickard, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

STODART-KING. William J. Stodart, 23;

Georgia A. King, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

STRAVENS-MONTGOMERY. George P.

Stravens, 23; Pearl Montgomery, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

THORNE-NEEDHAM. Otto Thorne, 23;

Pearl Needham, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

VALLA-CHURCH. Arthur A. Valla, 23;

Lillian Church, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

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WESTON-TRAUT. Cornelius F. Weston, 23;

Irene Traut, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

WICKS-MYERS. Karl A. Wicks, 23; Cora S.

MYERS, 23. Married at 10:30 a.m.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

BENT. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest F. Boy. Boy.

CAMERON. Mr. and Mrs. William M. Boy.

CHENEY. Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Boy.

COWAN. Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Boy.

DECKWA. Mr. and Mrs. William. Daughter.

DELAHONNET. Mr. and Mrs. Artila. Boy.

DE CORE. Mr. and Mrs. Charles. Boy.

DIEHL. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Daughter.

HILLER. Mr. and Mrs. Harry. Boy.

JACKSON. Mr. and Mrs. James. Boy.

KEARNEY. Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Daughter.

KELLY. Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy.

LAWSON. Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy.

MINTRE. Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy.

MITCHELL. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy. Daughter.

NORMAN. Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy.

VAN COTT. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll. Daughter.

WOLF. Mr. and Mrs. Winfield S. Boy.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

HANNAHAN. Paul against William A.

LAWSON. Paul against William A.

SCHERER. Anna against Albert.

SMITH. David against Gustave.

UNDERWOOD. Edward against Louis.

DIVORCE DECREE GRANTED.

DAVIES. J. T. from Stella.

LINDLEY. Mable from Thomas W.

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SUMMARY OF THE DAY.
The City Council has at last offered for sale the franchise for a cross-town car line, restricting it by many conditions.
The outcome of the garbage collecting difficulties will be that the city will collect the garbage and negotiate to that end are in progress.
Poisoned milk and another woman figure in a bitter suit of a wife against a husband which is on trial in the Superior Court.

At the City Hall.
CROSS-TOWN LINE WITH CONDITIONS.
COUNCIL OFFERS FRANCHISE FOR SALE AT LAST.

Life of Privilege Is Not to Exceed Twenty-one Years and Bid Not to Be Less Than Five Thousand Dollars—Many Restrictions Placed on Proposal.

The cross-town line franchise will be offered for sale tomorrow. The advertisement running for some days in the City Council, but the conditions attached to the offer are such that they make it a different franchise from that for which Councilman Brown and his supporters fought on October 17, when the proposition was put before the Council.

The special committee appointed yesterday afternoon by the Council to formulate an ordinance offering the franchise for sale, met yesterday morning with City Attorney Shenk and spent four hours in secret session drawing up conditions that are in the main the same as those proposed to be affixed to all franchisees under the Works general franchise ordinance.

The committee's report to the Council in the afternoon was adopted, including every condition arranged for—the payment of \$5000 as the lowest bid, in place of the \$100 minimum heretofore exacted, being part of the new arrangement.

The committee's conditions as stated in the report were as follows:
"The franchise is to be granted for a period not to exceed twenty-one years with conditions providing that the city shall have the right to terminate it and purchase and take over the entire plant and property owned or operated by the grantee under the franchise thereof, and that the city to the grantee of the full and fair value of such plant and property, provided that notice from the city of its intention to purchase such plant and property shall be made in writing and be delivered to the grantee at least six months and not more than three years prior to the date upon which the city proposes to exercise its right to make such purchase. There is also a provision that in the event the city does not exercise its right to terminate such franchise and purchase the plant and property as aforesaid, that the city shall have the right at the expiration of a period of twenty-one years from the date of such franchise to purchase such plant and property. The notice requires that the work of constructing said road shall be commenced within not more than four months from the date of granting said franchise, and shall be completed within not more than eighteen months thereafter; that at least one-third of the work of construction shall be completed within six months; the terms of fare as fixed shall not exceed five cents; that the grantee of such franchise shall pay to the city 5 per cent. of the gross annual receipts arising from the use, operation, or possession of the franchise after the first five years; that the rail to be used shall be such as provided for by the ordinances of the city, and in the event that the ordinance requiring grooved girder rails is adopted at the election of December 5, the track laid under such franchise will have to be constructed in accordance therewith."

CITY WILL COLLECT GARBAGE PROBLEM SOLVED.
Los Angeles will launch into the garbage collection business. That is the outcome of the woes of the garbage contractor and the city.

The new arrangement may not go into effect for a week or so and it may take a month to arrange the details but it is going to be carried out.

Chairman Washburn of the special committee of the City Council appointed at the previous evening's meeting, reported yesterday afternoon that the committee was making progress in co-operating with the Board of Public Works for an adjustment of the difficulties of the garbage contractors and their creditors. Tomorrow the Council will meet to hear the citations of electors against whom charges of fraudulent registration have been made and there may be developments in the garbage situation.

In the meantime, with a chance to get the money back that they have advanced, the creditors are anxious to have the city do anything it will. The contractors have an equipment of steel wagons and horses, and various arrangements for the disposal of the garbage, and the city would like to benefit from this. If the creditors will fix a fair price, the city will buy. The creditors will continue to collect garbage in Los Angeles at least until tomorrow night.

The negotiations are in the hands of Chairman Washburn for the City Council. Commissioner Humphreys for the Board of Public Works and several attorneys for the creditors of the V. D. Reduction Company.

FIVE SERVICE WOMEN.
ANIMAL KEEPER WANTED.
Chief Examiner Dee of the Civil Service Commission has lately been deeply interested in such works as "What Animals I Have Met," "Short Cuts in Zoology," and that sort of thing that his friends have wondered. A possible trip to Africa or something of that sort has been hinted at, but there is nothing in the gossip. Dee is simply getting ready to prepare the examination for animal keeper at the Bantam Park zoo.

The date of the examination will be announced later. The Park Commissioner yesterday appointed A. C. Pappas as temporary keeper. Pappas has been assistant keeper.

Dee has recently been delving into botanical works and investigating restaurants and markets to prepare himself to examine office candidates for fruit and vegetable inspector under the Health Commissioner. Yesterday the fifteen appeared at the office of the Civil Service Commission and

were invited to examine thirty-eight samples of fruit and vegetables in all conditions. Frost-bitten oranges were placed side by side with good lemons and potatoes that had been killed by the beetle family as a nursery. Wilting cabbages and diseased limes, rotter and good pears, worm-eaten tomatoes and over-ripe apples were all submitted and every candidate had to criticize the food and say what he would do if he encountered such a specimen offered for sale.

PEOPLE MAY BUILD.
SAN PEDRO LINE SCHEME.
A property-owners' railway may result from the San Pedro street agitation. It was announced to the City Council yesterday afternoon by Attorney F. M. Stora.

The San Pedro street demand for a local service in opposition to the through service outlined in the report of the Board of Public Works, but that body informed the petitioners that it had passed the entire subject to the City Council.

Stora said that when the Council should be ready to advertise a franchise for a third rail on San Pedro street for sale, the property owners with whom he is associated will throw up the sponge and make a bid for the franchise. He had in his hand a largely signed petition that he was ready to present.

MEETLY AN ERROR.
AUDITOR GETS A LETTER.
"Please have the water turned on," was the request made to City Auditor Myers in a letter received at his office yesterday. "The water was shut off yesterday and the connecting pipe removed," said the writer. The Auditor was puzzled; he has nothing to do with water, nor has he anything to say about gas and electricity, yet the letter went on to say: "We were without gas for a year, and the Edison people broke into the houses and took both the electric meters. They won't even allow anyone to deliver groceries, yet I have done everything to please them, even got a divorce."

Myers was certain by this time that the writer of the letter had mistaken him for the City Council, and he was confident that in this view when he read the final: "Please excuse poor writing; we have been experimenting on so long with an Absoluter Receptor that we will forward the letter to the City Council today."

Edson Facetious.
Mayor Alexander yesterday received this resignation from Charles Farwell Edson:

"My dear Mayor:
"One member of our small family in politics is all we can afford, so I resign my position as member of the City Planning and the Music Committees. Thanking you for your uniform kindness to me and mine, I remain, yours very truly,
"CHARLES FARWELL EDSON."

City Hall Notes.
The N. E. W. Improvement Association has filed a petition with the City Council, asking for an extension of the water department's right to use the water derived as profit by the water department be used for this purpose instead of for a water department building.

All offices in the City Hall will be closed today.

The Board of Public Utilities denied the application of the Los Angeles Railway Corporation yesterday, and referred the request to the Council, which will approve or permit to run the twenty cars a hour on Griffin avenue, instead of over the Buena Vista street bridge. The company recently, to relieve congestion, removed forty cars from the lower tracks, intending to transfer the twenty Griffin cars back. This is blocked by the refusal of the Board of Public Utilities to permit a curve to be installed at Avenue 20 and Pasadena avenue.

A public hearing will be held tomorrow by the Board of Public Utilities of the Wilson spur track application.

At the Courthouse.
INTENDED FOR BUGS OR WIFE?

STRYCHNINE AND WOMAN FIGURE IN THIS CASE.

Poisoned Milk, Drunk by Electrician's Spouse, and His Woman Friend Are the Cases Bell in Bitter Suit—He Asserts Poison Was Intended for Bedbugs.

With one of the chief witnesses of the prosecution out of the jurisdiction of the court, the trial of Rafael, an electrician, charged with having attempted to poison his wife with strychnine, June 1, narrowed down yesterday before Judge Monro to a question of veracity.

Mrs. Rafael, who is represented by Deputy District Attorneys Shannon and Hammond, testified that the strychnine which was found in milk she drank had been purchased by her husband ostensibly to exterminate bedbugs. Her contention was that he desired to get rid of her so that he could marry another.

Earl Rogers and Frank Dominguez, counsel for Rafael, tried to prove that Mrs. Rafael put the strychnine in the milk in an effort to scare her husband. They assert that she is hysterical and jealous and concocted the alleged poisoning sensation for an ulterior purpose.

The woman in the case, who testified at the preliminary examination, is Kate Aurente, who lived at No. 1524 East Fifty-first street. Her testimony at that time was that Rafael had told her he was married and that no question of marriage had been raised between them. Under Rogers's grilling cross-examination, Mrs. Rafael was cool and collected. Rafael has been in jail since his arrest under \$10,000 bonds.

LOOKS LIKE BLUFF.
COURT'S VIEW OF THREAT.
"If a man wants to commit suicide, he will do it and talk about it afterward," Judge Conley in Department Six of the Superior Court declared yesterday in the case of Emma E. Palmer against William R. Palmer, whom she is suing for divorce. The evidence of Mrs. Palmer and her divorced daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Grider, showed that Palmer had on four occasions threatened to take his life, twice with a cheap revolver; once by poison and the last with a razor.

"If a man has the right to take his life," Judge Conley continued, "he

certainly has no right to inflict a horror upon those surrounding him. I don't care how much he may have been wronged. The wife may have nagged him to desperation, but he has no right to threaten his life and expect her to live with him. I don't think he ever intended to make away with himself."

Taking this view of the matter the court sought to bring the parties together. The defense sought to establish the fact that Palmer objected to a young man calling on his divorced daughter. They showed that he had provided well for his family. Mrs. Palmer asserted, however, that her husband has an ungovernable temper and always threatens mischief to himself when excited. Palmer was ordered to pay \$50 attorney's fees and the case was indefinitely postponed.

MYSTERIOUSLY GONE.
WHAT BECAME OF NOTE?
Somewhere between Porterville and the mine of Maj. Russell the bill of sale upon which Ralph J. Leavitt bases his hope of winning three suits for recovery of property valued at \$15,000, disappeared. On the one hand is the word of Leavitt, members of his family and the chauffeur who drove the automobile on trip to the mine; on the other is the word of Maj. Russell that such an agreement was never in existence. Underneath there are insinuations which promise to make the case now being heard before Judge Willis in Department Eight of the Superior Court remarkably bitter.

Leavitt testified yesterday that he never saw the bill of sale after he showed it to his chauffeur, James Jeffries, at Porterville, August 2. How it disappeared is a dark mystery which Leavitt cannot explain. Against the testimony of the Leavitts and Jeffries, the defense, represented by E. A. Moore, will place the word of Maj. Russell and his brother.

The suits grow out of an agreement to exchange Leavitt's ranch in Porterville for the house and furniture of Maj. Russell on West Adams street. The trial will be continued next Tuesday.

FIGHT FOR INSURANCE.
TECHNICAL QUESTION RAISED.
Whether an insurance company can hold policy holder to the contract he signs or whether the company is bound by the acts of its agents and not the contract, are questions which have arisen in a suit of Andrew Elliott and Mrs. Nellie Elliott against the Frankfort Marine Accident and Plate Glass Insurance Company of Frankfort-on-the-Main to recover \$5000 on the policy held by C. A. Jewell, who died from injuries received in an automobile accident December 30 last. Mrs. Elliott is the mother of Jewell.

The company, in relating payment, asserted that Jewell professed to be a capitalist at the time he obtained the policy, but that he was in reality a jeweler's clerk, later making books at race tracks and indulging in joy rides and riotous living, and consequently not a good risk. If these facts had been known, the company states, it would not have insured him. This the plaintiffs deny.

BADGER GAME.
PLAY STAGED AT HOME.
D. L. Kaufman told an amazing story to Judge Willis yesterday. He stated that June 20 he responded to a call from one Mrs. Maud Williams ostensibly to take a walk and clean it, Kaufman being in that business. When he entered the room, Maud's husband, David, appeared and assuming the pose of an outraged husband, demanded that Kaufman, whom he charged with having insulted his wife, give him \$1000 under penalty of being assassinated.

Kaufman did not have that sum and demurred, but after he had been knocked down, he complied with David's request to sign a note for \$1000 and obligating himself to get "squeal." Kaufman sued to get possession of the note, but as the Williams apparently had vanished, the court canceled the paper.

ECHO OF THE PAST.
FORMER WIFE SUES ACTOR.
An echo of the District Court of Hennepin county, Minnesota, was heard at the Courthouse yesterday when Grace Howard Gatta, at one time the wife of Richard J. Ferris,

actor and promoter, filed a suit against her present husband to cancel the judgment of the Minnesota court for \$51,200.47, which amount Ferris was found to have collected and retained while acting in a fiduciary relation toward her.

The Minnesota court adjudged Miss Gatta the sole author of the play "Graustark, or Love Behind a Throne," and Ferris was restrained from entering into any further contracts to produce the play, the judgment and decree operating as an assignment. Miss Gatta, now seeks to recover the judgment of the court and also to be vested in the authorship of the play, including the copyright and all other rights, and restraining Ferris from producing it or participating in any of the profits.

SAYS HE'S STUNG.
DIDN'T LEARN TO FLY.
Donald Francis, according to the complaint he filed yesterday, is a mad, dazed and wiser man so far as his ambition to be a birdman is concerned. He has brought suit against the Eaton Bros. Company for the return of \$350 with interest and costs, which he asserts he paid to be instructed in the operation of an aeroplane.

Francis asserts that he paid the company \$200 for instructions in flying and \$150 additional to guarantee the aeroplane against breakage. He recovered the judgment of the court and representation that it had an aeroplane properly equipped upon which he could receive instructions are false and that an account of the alleged fraud he recinded the agreement made September 28.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.
BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.
SMALL DAMAGES. Joseph N. Segler, who sought to recover from A. Callister \$10,212.50 damages for injuries received June 4, when the latter's automobile collided with the motorcycle Segler was riding, was awarded \$800 in Department Seven of the Superior Court yesterday.

GRIEVANCE. Frank Morris yesterday filed suit against the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank, alleging that the latter disposed of him of room No. 310, Trust and Savings building. He asks \$10,000 damages, alleging that the owners, with violence, threats and menace, took possession of his property and refused to allow him to use the room.

ON APPEAL. Argument before the State Supreme Court on appeal from the decision of the Superior Court in the contest of Beatrice Anita Baldwin for a daughter's share of the estate of E. J. ("Lucky") Baldwin, will be heard January 15. Isidor B. Dockweiler, representing Beatrice, who Mrs. Nellie Elliott against the Frankfort Marine Accident and Plate Glass Insurance Company of Frankfort-on-the-Main to recover \$5000 on the policy held by C. A. Jewell, who died from injuries received in an automobile accident December 30 last. Mrs. Elliott is the mother of Jewell.

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TOO CHEAP. Although she signed a release for \$30 to relieve the Pacific Electric Railway Company from any liability arising from injuries alleged to have been received when she fell from the step of a car at Venice, July 6, Mrs. Verda Crane brought suit against the company and testimony was taken yesterday before Judge Conrey and a jury in Department Ten of the Superior Court. She asks \$5000 damages, asserting that her disabilities prevent her from working as a dressmaker.

INCORPORATIONS. Frederick Noonan and Charles H. Kysor, Architects, Inc., incorporators, Frederick Noonan, Charles H. Kysor, A. W. Lyddy; capital stock, \$20,000; subscribed, \$200. Central Park Investment Company, incorporators, Emil Oleovich, Albert Oleovich, George White and John Hines, Jr.; capital stock, \$25,000; subscribed, \$100. Estrela Electric Manufacturing Company, incorporators, F. W. Post, F. B. Howard, James A. McGowan, Fred St. Clair and A. A. Cole; capital stock, \$100,000; subscribed, \$1.

Mrs. A. R. Tabor of Grider, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially indicated. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by all dealers.—Adv.

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REGULAR JURY.

(Continued from First Page.)

he declared. "This is Wednesday; tomorrow is a holiday, and the next day is Friday. I refuse to take the case. Now, what are you going to do?"

Before Ford made reply Gage turned to Justice Youn and said, "Your Honor, this is the first time in the thirty-five years that I have been a member of this bar that I have received such treatment as this."

"I believe the case can be taken up on Monday morning and not impose a hardship upon anyone," Justice Youn said. "I have other cases set for that time, but they are of a nature that will permit postponement and I will arrange to have the calendar clear for 10 o'clock."

Ford stated that in asking that the case be set for Friday, he did not mean that the witnesses would place on the stand were to be cross-examined at that time, and that he would be entirely satisfied if the evidence could be introduced and the case then continued to whatever date would satisfy the defense. Ex-Gov. Gage, however, declared nothing would be done Friday if he had anything to do with it.

Should Capt. Fredericks decide that a grand jury ought to be called at once he will make a formal request of the presiding judge of the Superior Court to issue summons. Presiding Judge Hutton is at the present time in Chicago. Capt. Fredericks said yesterday that if he saw fit he could make the request of either Judge Hutton or Judge Willis, who is acting as presiding judge during the other's absence from the State.

Charles E. White, the juror in department twelve, who is declared by Chief Detective Brown, of the District Attorney's office, to have been in possession of the \$2500 which it is alleged by the detective was to have been paid to George N. Lockwood should he succeed in preventing a verdict of guilty against James R. McNamara, was released from the hotel yesterday morning.

Upon leaving his office last night, Detective Browne said that no more arrests will be made for the present.

CHINESE THANKGIVING.
They Will Celebrate Here Today First Time in America, but Because of the Chinese New Year Celebration in Progress.

For the first time in the history of an American city the Chinese are to celebrate Thanksgiving in Los Angeles today. They will not eat turkey and be thankful for good crops and for peace, but all of Chinatown below the Plaza will get into executive session and thank the gods of Confucius, Shinto and Buddha for luck in the present war.

Usually the Chinese never make a parade, except for their New Year and funerals. The rebellion, however, has made an exception, and this morning at 10 o'clock the local Chinese will give a blazing procession in which the battle flag of the reform army will figure in profusion. A large consignment of these flags in all sizes was received from San Francisco yesterday, and an hour later one of them floated above almost every business house in Chinatown, as well as from the buildings containing the long dark residence chambers that are murkily tombs than living quarters. Even the Chinese children were given rebel flags to carry about the streets.

Practically all the Chinese in California sympathize with the rebellion, and it is to celebrate its recent victories in China that the parade will be held today. The Chinese in this city have been making regular contributions to the fund for the revolution for eighteen months, and have been eager to have the war precipitated.

If your children are subject to attacks of croup, watch for the first symptom, hoarseness. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse and the attack may be warded off. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

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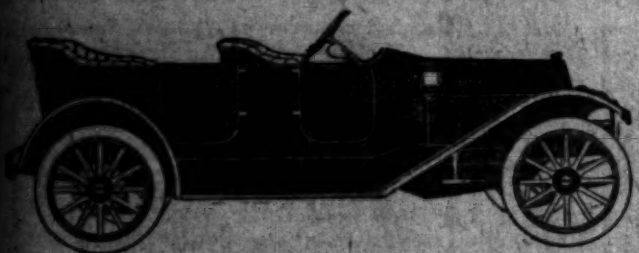
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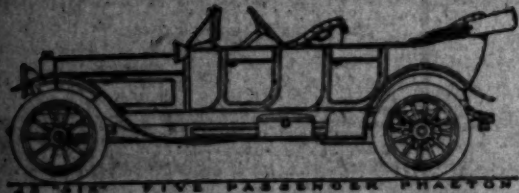


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STRICKEN CHAMPION HOLDS OWN IN HOSPITAL.



Ad Wolgast, as a Business Man.

This striking character study of Ad was taken by a Times photographer two or three days ago at his training camp and shows him at his best.

WOLGAST'S MOTHER SOBS OVER NEWS.

(A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
CADILLAC (Mich.) Nov. 29.—"Tell me nothing more," sobbed Mrs. John Wolgast, Ad Wolgast's mother today, when she was told her son had submitted to an operation for appendicitis.

Evidently fearing the worst, she set out without waiting to put on her cloak and walked two miles to the schoolhouse to summon her other children.

Anyhow, There's Fighting.

WILLIE RITCHIE TO BOX WELSH.

UNCLE TOM HAS GOOD SHOW FOR THE FANS.

Fredrick Looks to Be in the Greatest Shape of His Career—Eaton Will Be the Referee Today—Tom Jones Thinks He Must Be Followed by a Jinx of Bad Luck.

BY OWEN BIRD.

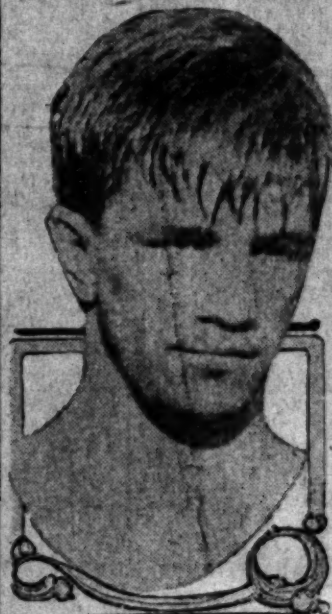
On coming to his senses after the operation yesterday, the first thing Ad did was to ask for a drink of water.

He was not allowed to drink, of course, and nearly got mad when everybody refused to bring him a glass of water. "What kind of a joint is this anyway," said Ad. "Can't a fellow get even a drink of water?" By one-thirty he was resting easy and bewailing his luck in a stoical manner.

All the time this was going on Tom McCarey was not allowing the moss to gather under his feet. Willie Ritchie was reached over the phone at San Francisco and scheduled for the fight with Welsh, Baron Long and Welsh both agreeing to the match at catch weights. The other preliminaries will remain the old price list was restored and by 5 o'clock everything for the fight was arranged. Quick work. Uncle Tom, quick work. Instead of crying over spilt milk McCarey got busy and worked up something for his patrons on the holiday.

McCarey says he will not lose on the affair but will probably just about come out even on the day. There are many fans here who want to see how Welsh is going since his return to this climate and in a fight with Willie Ritchie he will have a chance to show his prowess against a tough trial horse.

Ritchie has been training with Packey McFarland and is in the best of condition, though a little heavy



Ad, the Athlete.

Just as he came from his shower, the last day of his training.

for Fred, weighing about 135 pounds. Ritchie left San Francisco last night on the Lark and will arrive this morning at about 4:30 at the Arcadia station. He will be rushed to Jack Doyle's training quarters at once and he rubbed down. Then he will eat his dinner and rest till it is time for the fight.

Ritchie is considered one of the best lightweights in the Bay City region and is anything but an easy mark, so Fred will have a chance to

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THANKSGIVING DAY MENU OF SPORTS.

Freddie Welsh vs. Willie Ritchie, Vernon arena, 3 o'clock.
Jim Giblin and Joe Meyers, Vernon arena, 2 o'clock.
Kid Franks and Berly Hatton, Vernon arena, 2:30 o'clock.
Tennis—L. C. Brand's residence, Glendale.
Hockey—Los Angeles vs. Santa Monica at Santa Monica, at 2:30 o'clock.
Soccer football—Bovard Field, Clan Cameron vs. Hi-Bernians, 2 o'clock.
Rugby football—Los Angeles High School vs. Berkeley High School, at Bovard Field.
Los Angeles Country Club, golf tourney.
Annandale Country Club, golf and tennis.
San Gabriel Country Club, golf and tennis.

THE TURK BEATS MORLEY.

In the challenge round of the pool tournament which is being held at Jim Morley's parlors, the Turk threw the hooks into Morley by the score of 50 to 24. Jim was in a bad dump and the Turk had an easy romp all the way.

Timothy Hopkins, president of the Rialto board of trustees, has donated a silver cup to be competed for annually in interclass Rialto contests, beginning next fall.

Battle's Not to the Strong.

"DON'T LET THEM GIVE ME SLEEPING STUFF," SAID AD.

In the Middle of the Night, the Champion Woke With a Fearful Pain—His Faithful Little Chum, Hobo Dougherty Tried to Soothe Him in Vain; at the Hospital, He Begged to Be Strapped; Dreaded Anesthetic.

BY R. A. WYNNE.

ON the eve of one of the greatest battles of his life Adolph Wolgast, lightweight champion of the world and the Crown Prince of pugilism, who was seemingly in the very perfection of physical condition, was seized with an acute attack of appendicitis and was rushed in the small hours of the morning to the Clara Barton Hospital, where he was operated upon at 9:30 o'clock and his appendix removed.

The announcement of Wolgast's serious condition came as a thunderbolt out of a clear sky and left the public, his opponent, Freddie Welsh, and the fight club officials in a stunned condition.

He had seemingly placed himself in the condition of his life, and in his workouts never faltered for a second or complained of any trouble.

It came suddenly yesterday morning. Wolgast, his bosom chum "Hobo" Dougherty, and his manager, Tom Jones, were sleeping in the fighter's quarters at Doyle's training camp. In three small beds scattered about the big room the three men were sleeping. That is, Dougherty and Jones were sleeping the sleep of the healthy, while in the third bed Wolgast, the wonderful little fighting machine who had never quailed before the onslaught of his strongest opponents, was tossing and turning feverishly as a child.

Dougherty, who is more than a brother to Wolgast and looks upon the little champion as an idol, was awakened about 2 o'clock by Wolgast.

"Hobo," said a thin, querulous voice, "I can't sleep comfortable on either side. What is wrong with me?"

Dougherty was out of bed in an instant and soothingly patted and began to rub Wolgast. He thought it was but a little restlessness brought on by strenuous training and fretting about his great contest with Welsh.

"I AM BURNING UP."

"Hobo," said Wolgast, "I am burning up for a drink of water."

Dougherty secured a glass of water and raised Wolgast's head from the bed and for the first time realized that his friend was a little weak.

He raised Wolgast up until he was seated on the side of the little bed. Wolgast complained of a pain in his abdomen and said that it was a cramp and would soon pass away. The two boys sat side by side on the edge of the bed for a half hour and talked about different things with the hope that the pain would pass away.

It became worse and the little champion, with a wry face, said:

"You better call Tom. He might know something to do for it, as it hurts like blazes."

Jones was awakened and came to Wolgast's bedside. He compelled the champion to lie down and began to massage his abdomen, as he also thought that it was merely a cramp.

Instead of becoming better the pain grew steadily worse and by 3 o'clock Jones himself was worried and Dougherty was hovering over Wolgast like a mother over a child.

"Ad, I am going to call a doctor and see what on earth is wrong with you," said Jones.

"All right, Tom. But tell him to come quick, as this pain is something fierce," answered Wolgast.

Jones went to the telephone and called up the Hotel Lankershim and secured Dr. J. W. Pollard.

He explained who he was and what was wanted and Dr. Pollard agreed to start immediately in his automobile for Doyle's camp.

THE DOCTOR ARRIVES.

He arrived at 4 o'clock and by this time Wolgast was in great pain, and Jones and Dougherty realized that something serious was wrong with the champion.

Pollard diagnosed the case immediately as appendicitis, and told Wolgast so. "You had better come with me immediately to the hospital and we will find out exactly what the trouble is. We can't do anything here," said Pollard.

"Sure," said Wolgast, getting up out of bed and beginning to dress.

Wolgast was assisted into the machine and, accompanied by Jones and Dr. Pollard, started for the Clara Barton Hospital. Dougherty remained at Doyle's much against Wolgast's wishes, but there was not room in the physician's runabout for four men.

At the Clara Barton, Dr. H. P. Barton and Dr. Sherrard were summoned on a consultation. Wolgast was placed in a room and the physicians made an examination. They discovered just a trace of fever and an acute soreness just over McBurney's point, under which lies the appendix.

A consultation was held with Jones and he was told that an operation was necessary.

Jones faced the greatest problem of his life. Not only a tremendous financial loss, but the very life of his friend and the champion were in the balance. Against this was the word of three men of medicine.

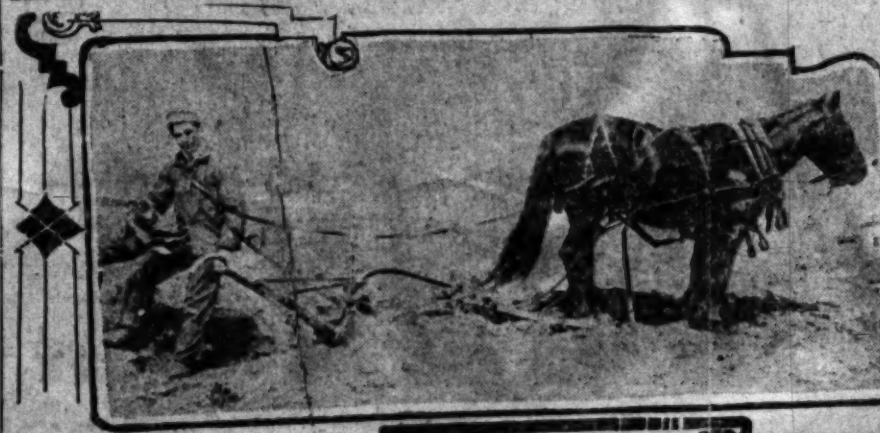
A TERRIBLE PROBLEM.

Jones stepped out into the hall by himself and walked out into the street.

He wanted to be alone to decide the question. Jones looks upon Wolgast in far closer light than simply the champion lightweight of the world. The big, rough business manager looks upon Ad almost as a son, and is willing always to fight for him and protect his interests.

He found on one side of the balance a fortune of over \$100,000 to be won by Wolgast during the coming winter, considerable prestige and the fight with Welsh. Against this was the chance that the doctors were correct and that Wolgast's life would be endangered if the operation was not immediate.

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Herr Wolgast, the Farmer.

These pictures were taken of Ad on his farm near Cadillac. The little champ loves the life of a farm with his horses and dogs

Manipulation of these parts gives speedy relief, and obviates need of a surgical operation. In a vigorous man like Weigman it is possible that heavy eating, exercise too soon afterwards, blows in boxing have been received low down as the bowel, may give rise to acute inflammation of the appendix.

Poor Old Mr. Wad, He Tried to Get On With Freddie Welsh Today--But He Hadn't Reduced Enough



When Doctors Diagnose.

OPERATION ON WOLGAST
UNNECESSARY--DR. BROOK.

Nature Doctor Contends That Surgeons Were in Too Much of a Hurry to Cut the Little Champion Up. He Might Have Been Saved by Simple Applications of Hot Water.

BY HARRY ELLINGTON BROOK, M.D.

(Editor Care of the Body Department of The Times.)

YOU ASK me how it could happen that a strong, vigorous, healthy young man should suddenly be stricken with what the doctors call appendicitis. There is no mystery about this thing. There are no such things as special dispensations of Providence. Every time a man gets sick there is a cause for it. For the cause we must not look without for mysterious germs, but within, to errors in living--usually errors in eating.

This is just the kind of man who might be expected to be attacked by appendicitis. There are two classes of sick people. First, those with strong constitutions, who, as Wolgast did, but they could eat anything, and never at the idea of diet. What they eat they assimilate, and the body becomes choked up with surplus, effete matter. The second class are those with weak stomachs--constipated dyspeptics. With them the waste stops at the stomach. They are perhaps hung on until they nearly reach the century mark, meanwhile, however, making life miserable to themselves and all those with whom they come in contact. It is in some respects an advantage for a man to be born with a weak stomach, unless he knows how to practice temperance in eating.

Remember that muscular strength and health are two quite different things. Few professional strong men are great eaters, because they overwork both their stomachs and their brains. Freddie Welsh is not likely to be an appendicitis--or any other disease.

Eating three "square meals" a day, and eating "anything you please," is a sure way to bring on an attack of appendicitis, or some other disease. It will lay a strong man low. Frequently in these cases the appendix is not affected at all. What the doctors nowadays call appendicitis is really inflammation of the bowel, and was in our boyhood days known by the vulgar term "bellyache." Now the removal of the appendix has become a profitable source of income. The operation is often fatal, or is followed by fatal "complications." Afterward, if the patient recovers, in many cases, the removal of the appendix is followed by lifelong alternate constipation and diarrhoea, because the appendix is not a "superfluous organ," as the doctors claim. There are no superfluous organs. The appendix is necessary to lubricate the lower bowel, the tonsils act as germ traps, and the removal of the ovaries is always followed by a succession of "female troubles."

The allopathic medical fraternity has chosen between two horns of a dilemma. Either they are grossly ignorant in regard to health and disease, or else they perform these operations for the sake of the money they get in it.

Formerly we were told by the doctors that appendicitis was caused by foreign bodies in the appendix. This is absolutely false. The theory arose from examinations of the appendix of the dog, which is quite a different organ from that in man. This is an error case where the cruel torture of surgery has proved not only useless, but harmful to human beings. Anatomy shows that it is an absolute impossibility for the appendix in man to become obstructed any more than the glands that secrete the saliva can.

be obstructed by the food in the mouth. If when Wolgast was taken with this pain in the bowel, they had put him to bed, given him daily an enema of half a gallon of tepid water, to clear out the bowels below the constriction, absolutely deprived him of food of any kind until the bowels moved naturally, put a jug of hot water to the feet, hot cloths around the abdomen to relieve the pain, followed by ice on the abdomen after the pain was relieved, and given him all the fresh air possible in his bedroom, and absolute quiet, he might have been able to enter the ring within a couple of weeks.

Even when the appendix is inflamed and full of pus, it will discharge naturally through the bowel if given a chance. Manipulations of the abdomen should always be avoided. If such an examination were given to a well man, and repeated as frequently as in the average appendicitis case, the well man would soon suffer from some severe disease induced by bruising.

Wolgast can never be altogether the same man he was physically. This may, however, prove a valuable lesson to him if it teaches him that no person, however strong, can afford to sneer at diet--at the food that builds the body. However, few learn these things until it is too late.

COUNTRY CLUB GOSSIP.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

THE GOLF season may be said to be fairly launched now that the S.C.C.A. has issued a formal programme for the respective clubs, and immediately after Christmas all the interest and delights of the inter-club team matches will begin.

So popular are these golf visits that although seven men are supposed to comprise each team, it is usual for several "substitutes" to slip in, until a visiting team looks more like an invading army.

The year that Edward Tufis was captain of the Los Angeles team, the whole blessed club wanted to go as substitutes, nobody wanting to be left out of the fun.

Norman Macbeth is this year's captain and should prove a great success--he plays so well and looks so decorative. E. N. Wright is Annandale's captain, a first-class golfer, rather seriously inclined, and generally popular. The first team match takes place on the Annandale links on January 13, when San Gabriel will be the visitors. So far San Gabriel is captain, F. O. Wood, who was several years captain, having retired from the arduous position. Stephens was captain for a time and it is probable that he may step into the position again. F. S. Wade has also been named as a possible captain.

At the meeting all the clubs were presented by three or four members, with the exception of San Gabriel for whom G. M. Purcell alone stood sponsor--he must have felt very much like the composite "Kings Nave" in Gilbert's "Palace."

The women also commence play on Saturday morning for the Western Women's Golf Association's bronze medal and all the club's players have promised to compete. Today's programme at the Country Clubs:

Los Angeles Country Club--Morning, 18-hole sweepstake, match play against Boney; afternoon, 18-hole sweepstake, match play against Boney; all-day, 24-hole choice score medal play; tennis, men's doubles. Special table d'hôte luncheon and dinner. Music from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., during tea on terrace. Dancing after dinner.

Annandale Country Club--18-hole match play against Boney; afternoon and third prizes awarded. Tennis, mixed doubles, 10 a.m. Tea and music on terrace, 4 p.m. Kammermeyer's Orchestra. Special Thanksgiving table d'hôte dinner. Dancing. San Gabriel Country Club--New 18-hole links opened; 18-hole handicap match play. First, and second prizes awarded; 18-hole foursome match play handicap. Thanksgiving dinner. Dancing.

SPECIAL SPORT NUMBER.

The Referee has issued a very attractive special sport edition filled with lively sports on both professional and amateur sports in and about Los Angeles and illustrated with interesting pictures. It was to have been the official programme at the Welsh-Wolgast fight.

LOS ANGELES A. C. RAISES ITS INITIATION FEES.

The directors of the Los Angeles Athletic Club announced yesterday that the initiation fee had been raised to \$150, to take effect January 1. Over three hundred names have been proposed during October and November and the directors wanted to raise the initiation fee to take effect at once, but felt that such a course would not be fair to a great many members who had already signified the desire to bring a friend into the club.

It was not thought that the club would receive so many applications for membership, and the present influx even before the building is completed has alarmed the directors, who are afraid that the limit will be reached before all of the desirable prospective members have been taken care of.

As compared with other clubs of equal pretensions both here and in the East, the present initiation is about one-half what it should be, and hence the great rush to get in may necessitate a still further raise. Mr. Kover, the club's president, said yesterday, "It is the policy of the organization to keep the initiation fee as low as we can, for we feel that a high fee would cut out a great many desirable members who would be greatly benefited in health and happiness by what we have to offer. They are simply being swamped with proposals for membership. This month we have had over 185 in addition to those we have for one reason or another been obliged to reject. I sincerely hope we will not need to raise the fee again, but from all appearances, about next February we will be obliged to establish a waiting list."

FINCH WINS.

In the balking tournament which is being held at the Brunswick parlors, Finch defeated Keyes in a closely-contested game by the score of 200 to 179.

Finch's high runs were 18, 17, 16, while Keyes' were 20, 17, 16.

DE WITT VAN COURT'S COLUMN.

Ad Wolgast and Tom Jones have the sympathy of all the boxing fans in America today.

The sad ending of Wolgast's training, which wound up in Wolgast's being stricken with appendicitis at the eleventh hour, was a hard blow to all interested in the fighting game. We all have looked forward for a real international championship fight for years and have been disappointed at the last minute.

The sporting resorts along Spring street looked yesterday afternoon more like a funeral than anything else.

The operation on Wolgast will probably mean his retirement from the fighting game for good and all time as champion. No athlete is ever the same after an operation of that kind.

Tom Jones is heart-broken over the finish, and it would have surprised anyone who has the idea that there is no good in sporting men had they heard and seen the sincere sympathy extended to Tom yesterday. While Tom has been an aggressive manager, he has always been on the square and doing the best for all and himself, and no one can take exceptions to that. The grief shown by Jones was pitiful. It was hinted by a few cheap sports that the thing was a frame-up. Such talk only goes to show just what a fighter is always up against in the ring.

He was doing nicely, and if nothing turns up out of the ordinary his chances are good for a quick recovery.

Willie Ritchie, a very clever boxer from San Francisco, has agreed to take Wolgast's place and meet Welsh today. Ritchie is a very fast, he is also in fine condition, as he has been training with Paakey McFarland for the past two weeks. Ritchie is always in good condition, as he always takes the best of care of himself. Ritchie has two very fast hands and is quick as a flash. There was an attempt made to match Joe Kover with Welsh, but it was decided that he had not experience enough to meet Freddie yet.

Jack Welch, the referee, left last night for Fresno, and was very much disappointed that the match did not take place. Welch felt that he has not been treated right by some of the San Francisco papers. He claims that while he admits that he is friendly with Wolgast, it would never have the slightest effect on him in choosing a decision in the fight between Welsh and Wolgast. He also said that in the future he would never agree to referee any contest that Baron Long had anything to do with.

The talk that Welch has been around that Jack Welch would not have given Freddie Welsh an equal chance is all nonsense. Welch has a good reputation as any sportsman in America today for honesty. He has been refereeing fights for many years and there has never been the slightest question as to his integrity.

Now that Ad Wolgast is out of the running, the question will be asked, who is the champion now? I firmly believe that Wolgast's fighting days are over for good. I have met a number of fighters that have had an operation similar to Wolgast's who have tried to come back later, and every one said that they were never the same again.

I also believe that the operation will have a tendency to make the skin more tender, and harder more to the muscles, than if there had been a layer of fat on his stomach. The fat would have been a protector and by the time it had healed it would hardly have been noticeable. That portion of his body will always be a very tender spot and the slightest blow will be extremely painful.

Freddie Welsh, without a doubt, is the man that should be considered the next best to Wolgast. Ad should be given at least a year to get well and defend his title if he chooses to do so, and should be considered the champion for at least that time, even if he does not fight at all until then. At the end of that time, if he decides to retire, the championship is open to any one who can win it.

Freddie Welsh should be given the first chance, and if he wins should be acknowledged as the champion.

Welsh has the best record of any lightweight at the present time, outside of Wolgast. It has been an unwritten law in the fight game that if any man has been idle for a year and does not have his challenge accepted during that time he is entitled to the title and holds it until he is defeated. It would not be sportsmanlike for Welsh to claim anything of that kind until the year is up.

It may be asked, where do Paakey McFarland and Matt Wells come in? They hardly have the right that Freddie has. Paakey has always been considered a welterweight, and has refused to meet others of the lightweight limit. Wells is in the same position.

Daniel Boon has nothing on Jim Jeffries in the hunting line. Dan may have been a great shot, but the big fellow has him skinned. Jeff can kill his game with rocks, which was proved yesterday afternoon.

Yesterday afternoon Jim received a telephone message from Casa Verdugo that there was a couple of coyotes and a wild cat waiting for him and his dogs on the old Verdugo ranch. This was too much for Jim, he immediately invited Buffon, the Hon. Tim Sullivan of New York, Senator Eddy O'Brien of Chicago, Gen. Considine, Harry Monahan, Lon and Eben Hill, Joe Watkins, Jim Wilson, Gus Brown of New York, The Leighton Brothers from Montana with their pedigree stag hounds and Harry Burt to take in the hunt.

We left Jeff's cafe at three o'clock in three machines and after a quick run to old Glendale where we picked up the manager of the coyotes, we then ran out to the ranch. The manager of the coyotes, proved to be a raw boned country boy who was as familiar at handling coyotes as he was with cows.

Jim had his famous Alrodale terrier along with the stag hounds, and on arriving at the ranch, the terrier showed his sarcasm right off the reel by shaking a dead coyote to pieces. The coyote had been killed earlier in the day and was lying in the road. We were all in high spirits and anticipation for the hunt to begin.

The Verdugo Kid was right on to his job and invited us to follow him, which we did in an empty chicken house where the coyote was chained. Jeff on taking one peep at the wolf, said that it was a shame to turn such a little thing as that loose for his dog, as the terrier would kill him in a minute.

Tim Sullivan said, let us see some of this western stuff that you talk so much about. After a lot of preliminary work from the Verdugo Kid, the wolf was brought forth in his arms and turned loose. Immediately, the Kid, dogs and the rest of us were after that coyote. The hounds were the first to take a fall out of him, and as he rolled over the famous Alrodale was on top of him and took one good bite at him, but was countered by a right hand uppercut that landed on the terrier's jaw that made him howl for keener.

This was repeated several times with the coyote coming out on top each time. In one of the rushes Leighton who was holding one of the stags was jerked over in the dust by his dog and did a series of summersaults that would have made an acrobat look silly.

After rushing the little coyote around the house, under a play and up the side of the mountain, the wolf finally took refuge in a corner and stood the whole bunch at bay. The bunch of fat sportsmen were all in and Jeff called time, so we all went to the corner and took a five minutes rest, while Jeff explained that the terrier was out of condition.

We all fell for his talk but Harry Monahan, and he said that he thought the terrier was a quitter. This riled Jim, so he took the wild wolf by the tail and threw him out to the dogs again and they all took another fall out of him, but the little fellow was game, and we all held a consultation and decided to give him another chance.

In the mean time the coyote was lying in the road, playing "possum" with the famous Alrodale all in by his side, taking a rest.

Gen. Considine said that the coyote was entitled to his liberty if he got away this time. The bell rang again and the dogs Jeff and the terrier walked to the center of the ring and shook hands and the dogs had again in earnest, but the dogs had about all they wanted, so Jim showed his condition and gameness by chasing the coyote a couple of hundred yards through the field and grabbed the coyote by the tail, and ended his misadventure with a stone.

Jim says he has some pedigree dogs, but has none for sale.

ISLAND CHAMP KNOCKS OUT JIM LAND.

(BY A. F. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
BYRON (N.A.W.) Nov. 28--Jimmy Clabby, middleweight boxing champion of Australia, knocked out "Tim" Land, a middleweight boxer, in a ten-round bout, today. Clabby led in every round.

BIG LEAGUE MEETINGS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.--(By A. F. Night Wire.) The annual meeting of the National League will be held in this city on Tuesday, December 12. San Johnson, the American League president, has as yet set no official date for the annual meeting of his association. It is generally understood that the American League will convene a day later than the rival organization.

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THE FIRST WIRE TO THE TIMES:
SAN FRANCISCO, (Pa.) Nov. 29.—[Ex-
clusive dispatch.] The American
grand prize race, the world's greatest
automobile race, will be run tomorrow
in the coldest weather on record for
this competition.

It is freezing tonight, and the ther-
mometer is dropping and will con-
tinue to drop, according to the weather
forecast, until tomorrow.

But despite the low temperature
and general unfavorable conditions
for the great race, auto fans have
flooded into the city all day by the
thousands, and when Starter Fred
Wagner drew the gun, which will send
the winner away in the big ap-
pointed Fiat racing creation
at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, a record
attendance is predicted.

The Los Angeles and San Francisco
sportsmen here think the Fiat
will win, while the eastern and
middle sportsmen are laying their
bets on the Buick.

Among the most peculiar thing in
the race is Eddie Hearne, the third
driver. Hearne is easily the
best of the American drivers.

He is Bruce-Drum, winner of last
year's race in the same car that
he will drive tomorrow. But
Hearne, the speed king, Ralph Mul-
len, winner of the Vanderbilt cup on
Monday's big event, the runner-
up in Monday's big event, are big
names with many.

They are of the opinion that not
all the world's record made at
this time has been broken, but that
the Fiat will average seventy-five miles
an hour or better.

The course is soft and considerably
after the event Monday, and the
time may that they will be lucky
to average as great as it was
in the Vanderbilt cup race.

In course, the high-powered ma-
chine will be able to travel faster
than the straight ways, but the tire
will become a very serious
factor if the cars are opened up by
the drivers.

In the practice today and during
the week, the fastest laps have
been made by the foreign entries.

They are in the Buick, Wagner in his
Buick-Drum in his Fiat and
Hearne in his ninety-nine
miles an hour. All made laps in a little
over twelve minutes, or about eighty-
three miles an hour.

**LUCKY RULES
AS FAVORITE.**

GRAND TRAGEDY AIDS TO
FIBRO FIGHT.

They Who Had Planned to See
the Grand at Vernon Will See Mo-
nahan-Murphy Go Instead.

When Gate Sports Send Sym-
phony to Ad and the Manager.

THE FIRST WIRE TO THE TIMES:
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Al-
though local fight followers refuse to
believe that "Harden Tommy" Mur-
phy will seriously menace Rocky Mc-
Clure's championship aspirations
in the two near-lightweights face
off in Coffroth's open-air
arena tomorrow afternoon, they will
be out in big numbers to witness
the scheduled twenty-round exhibi-
tion.

The spooling of the Volgas-Welsh
fight in Los Angeles has increased in-
terest in the local event considerably.
Many who had contemplated
traveling to the southern metropolis
decided to remain at home and
watch the longer pugilistic Thun-
der fight.

McClure expressed himself as be-
ing disappointed because of
the collapse of "Champion
Harden." "I had just about con-
sidered myself as having secured
the fight," and had figured on fighting
in New York's Bay, some place
like the Coast. I am very sorry, how-
ever, for him and hope he will get
back to his feet."

The Chicago fighter added that he
was in excellent condition; that he
will make the required 125
pounds one hour before ring time,
and that he proposes to make short
work of his opponent. Murphy pro-
poses to be highly elated because the
fight is ten to four against his
own, and even that a big sur-
prise in store for the McFarland
fight. He has trained conscientiously
and of condition will not figure
in the outcome should the verdict of
the Harry Folsie be adverse.

Another condition promises to be
the motor Coffroth made the point
statement tonight that the main
event would begin precisely
on time in order that patrons
be home in ample time for
holiday dinners.

There will be two ten-round pre-
liminaries between local fighters, the
first of which will be staged at 1
o'clock.

AMATEUR NOTES.

Bill Allen, former St. Vincent's
team, who made the all-
time team for two years, has
been an independent football team
and some from the Sherman
team of 1908. The team is
composed of Indians only and
includes some of the greatest
players in the country. He will have
been at Torrey, Bullock, Cal-
lahan, Lugo, Ardillo and other ex-
perienced players.

They are looking for a game with
the team team and failing to get
them, they will try to get a
game with the S.C.A.C. team, which
has been spooling for a game for
some time.

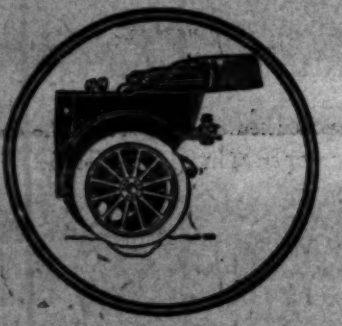
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touring car with 120 inch wheel
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mountable wheels—a rare combi-
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It's long—it's low—it's roomy.
Low with drop frame and new
spring suspension. Long with
front axle set forward and straight
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inches of leg room—enough for
the tallest man—27 inches from
front seat to dash and wide elbow
room at the wheel. The most com-
fortable car in America selling
under \$2500.

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open road it tops it off at fifty. It
took Abbey Hill, New York, on
high gear with five people, start-
ing at 22 miles per hour and going
30 miles at the top.

It took Viaduct Hill on high,
starting at 25, dropping to 12 at
the crest and going at 18 at the
top, passing two high priced cars
going up on the gears.

It took City Line Hill, Phila-
delphia, on high, Roundout Hill at
Kingston, N. Y., with 6 passen-
gers and climbed State Street
Hill, Albany, from river to Cap-
itol on high with six passengers.

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Country took Altadena Hill on
high, running like a greyhound.

It starts quickly and stops
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has saved many an accident. The
braking surface is 400 inches.

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shade of deep maroon, trimmed
in nickel, with bonnet, fenders and
fillets in black, with 9-inch lamps
in black enamel and nickel. You'll
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Fenders of sweeping grace, new
radiator design, high and distinc-
tive in contour—doors 20 inches
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ple ask if it's a six. Rakish, low
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put her around a corner in a jiffy
and the rear end will hug the
road.

**Ride 200 Miles Without
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Step into this car and you are
dominated by a feeling of spaci-
ous ease and gratifying comfort.
In a ten minute ride you grin in
spite of yourself through rare de-
light. You may tour all day
with pleasure and return without
fatigue.

The upholstery is of such
pleasing softness that even the
invalid may ride without discom-
fort—cushions 8 inches deep made
from hand-buffed leather and fin-
est selected long hair.

Rear cushion has 45 double ac-
tion steel spring coils. Front
springs 39 inches long—rear 52
inches long—axle of 1 beam type
set directly under radiator. Front
edge of tonneau seat 9 inches
ahead of rear axle—front seat 45
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chanics to greater skill, developed
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ready. The Cross Country is
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SIERRA CLUB WALK.
The Southern California Branch of the Sierra Club will hold its third walk of the year Saturday and Sunday, December 2 and 3.

The route of the walk lies from Laguna Beach along the shore line to Balboa, a distance of eight miles. The start will be made in two sections from the Pacific Electric depot Saturday. The first section will leave at the 8:40 Santa Ana car and after luncheon in Santa Ana, will enter automobiles and drive across country to Laguna Beach.

The second section will leave Saturday afternoon on the 2:10 o'clock car for Santa Ana.

Thirty-five members are expected to participate and Saturday evening at Laguna Beach a clam bake and other diversions will help to pass the evening pleasantly. Sunday the walk along the beach for eight miles to Balboa will begin. Upon arriv-
ing at Balboa the party will board the electric cars for Los Angeles.

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Frankie Conley, the wonderful lit-
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for San Jacinto, where he will spend
the next ten days rustling in the
mountains and taking the sulphur
baths. Mrs. Conley and Mr. and
Mrs. Harry Gilmore will accompany
him.

At the end of ten days in the
mountains Conley will go to a ranch
near San Diego, where he will spend
ten days or two weeks and later will
return to Los Angeles to go into ac-
tive training for his fight with Joe
Rivers on New Year's Day.

85 Miles Long
—And 47 miles wide is that sec-
tion of Cuba known as the Vuelta
Abajo. Yet this comparatively
small strip of earth supplies the
entire universe with its finest
tobacco—Havana tobacco of ex-
quisite fragrance and flavor—the
kind that men who know, the
world over, demand at any price
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BY JULIAN JOHNSON.

At a conference in the Alexandria Hotel yesterday afternoon another session of "the" grand opera for Los Angeles—her first in six years—was definitely decided upon.

It will be held from September 1, 1912, and will be the longest period of performances of this magnitude ever given here.

The Boston Opera Company will be the presenting organization, under the direction of Henry Hammer, and will be led by artists from the Chicago and Liverpool companies—with whom the Boston company has a working agreement—so close that the three companies are practically one musical corporation.

The participants in yesterday's session were Theodore Bauer, business manager of the company; Charles E. Johnson, musical publicist affiliated with the E. E. Johnson orchestra in New York City; and L. E. Remmer, manager, Hammer's partner, and a number of which his musical acquaintance may well be proud.

"Bee" who will be the sponsor of the entire western trip, coming from the Los Angeles office, and possibly San Francisco and possibly Portland and Seattle, and it is likely that the audience will be made up of more than a quarter of a million in cash for the company's enormous traveling expenses.

In brief, the western tour of the Boston Opera Company, the biggest ever undertaken by any singing organization, will be directed from this city.

There will be eight performances in Los Angeles, and, almost needless to say, the theater will be the Auditorium.

San Francisco is still a doubtful proposition because there is no theater of sufficient size to handle such a great aggregation.

Including all persons, the traveling company is expected to attract 250 people, and will fill one special train with musicians and their immediate effects, including scenery, costumes and property, and will require another special train of baggage cars.

If present plans are carried out, the season will open on the Monday following about September 1, 1912, with the greatest of Massenet's "Thaïs," with the greatest Thais of them all—Marie Hammer—in the title-part. The tenor will be the great Italian, Zonatelto, a young French baritone of phenomenal stature, who has yet to make his American debut.

At San Francisco, the great institution this week. At least three of the works will be given, and probably four. The certain three are "The Barber of Seville," "Madama Butterfly," and "La Bohème." "Tosca" is the fourth in question.

A stupendous scenic production of "Thaïs" with an all-star cast. In process.

The novelty of the week will be given on the final night, when Wolfgang's new opera, "The Song of Simeon," will be given, with Hampdrick, Allright, Hannel and Gretel. L. E. Remmer, with its Metropolitan Opera orchestra, will be the soloist.

A probability of the week is "Carmen" with Marie Gay, the foremost Carmen of the hour, in the title part.

Other operas for which complete productions will be brought here may not be given. It is probable that the company will present a limited repertory on the favorable nights.

The list of singers is superb.

Soprano: Marie Gay, Alice Niles, Carmen Bella. Bella Alten and several whose names are not so familiar to Los Angeles audiences.

Contraltos: Maria Gaudin, Maria Gaudin, Jeanne Martin, Marg and Jeanne Gerille-Reche.

Tenors: Riccardo Martin, Giovanni Zonatelto, Herman Jadowitz, Henri Pons, and the French baritone, Gaston Barreart.

Bass: Blanchard, Rodolfo Fornari, M. Jadowitz, Carmine Montella, Giovanni Pons, and Jean Jadowitz.

Edward Lankow, Joe Jadowitz, Vanni Marcoux and Leo Rother.

The orchestra will have four conductors and will number sixty players.

The directors will be the celebrated Frenchman Andre Caulet; the German, Wallace Goussard; and the Italian, Graziato Conti; all of whom are in the city.

KINEMA-COLOR THEATRE.

Tally Hall Broadway Lease to M. Kramer.

The Present Grand Coronation Films Grand Operahouse.

The first exclusive Kinema-color lease outside of New York City was secured Los Angeles yesterday when J. A. Kramer, who showed the first Kinema-color views of the coronation at the Grand, took over the lease on the Tally Theatre No. 10, 11, 12, with Broadway, effective next Monday.

Mr. Kramer, who has the exclusive western rights of the Kinema-color outfit—and that company contemplates an alleged "only" process of taking motion views in natural colors—will have the Tally theatre for the exclusive showing of motion views in natural colors, and will give a series of at least six views every day, complete change of bill every day.

These films are taken by its patented process whereby the color is preserved accurately and in detail. The process is a patent method of taking the views, through a prismatic screen, through which light rays are concentrated and refracted, and through several prisms. There are again concentrated in the screen as the views are shown, putting the color back before the eyes by means of a special optical lens in nature. The views for the present promise a surprise, in that they show the complete process.

The films have several practical advantages of Rogers, made at intervals of five minutes in forty-eight hours, during which the blossoms were in bloom, and the several principal subjects, dramas, scenery and life are available to this location, and to be seen in colors at all times in life.

LOVETT'S VISIT CAUSES STIR.

Interest of Oil Men Excited
by Inspection.

Nothing Given Out to Show
What it Portends.

General News of Interest
from Oil Fields.

The most interesting, if not the most important, recent occurrence in the oil world of the state was the visit of it, S. Lovett, head of the Harrison system of railroads to the San Joaquin oil fields. Being unheralded the appearance among the derbies of the railroad magnate and many of his subordinates excited the keenest interest on all sides. The party, traveling in a special train, passed the Coalinga and Kern county fields.

While Lovett was particularly reflective concerning the purpose of his inspection, he did indulge in some comments upon the industry and the development now under way. Not even the Los Angeles district was immune by the railroad officials. It was worth noting that on the trip through the oil fields the railroad party was accompanied by the most important officials of the Kern Trading and Oil Company, which is owned by the Southern Pacific and is dependent upon for the most of the fuel oil consumed in the company's locomotives. It was President Lovett's first visit to the California oil fields, for a comprehensive inspection, and added interest attached to it because of the imminent of the government's suits to recover mineral bearing lands included in the grants to the company in the early days. In regard to these suits the head of the Southern Pacific was uncommittal, contenting himself with the statement that the matter was in the hands of Judge McKinley of the legal department of the system. Whether the visit of Lovett will result in added activity on the part of the company's operating companies is merely guess work at this time. In some quarters it is believed that it will be the policy of the railroad to continue to develop its oil lands with the same vigor that has always characterized its business. The fact cannot be gainsaid, however, that both the Associated and the Kern Trading and Oil Company are going about their business as if they did not expect the world to stop.

WILL MAKE A TEST. ASSOCIATED'S WELL.

The Associated Oil Company is drilling an oil well on the San Joaquin near a short distance from the company's headquarters in the Kern River field with 16-inch stovepipe casing, and common report has it that an effort will be made to prove the existence of non-existence of valuable oil under the sands from which the present production of the field is drawn. Two notable efforts in this direction have been made heretofore, one some years ago by the Grace Oil Company, and the other more recently by the Santa Fe. Both holes pinched out fairly without profitable result, but the Santa Fe got down almost a mile, back the Santa Fe and the Grace wells from near the river, considerably lower down in the field than where the Associated is puddling in.

HALE-MCLEOD WELL. PRODUCTION INCREASED.

The Hale-McLeod Oil Company received a wire yesterday from Troy, Okla., superintendent of the property in the Midway field to this effect: "No. 1 hole loose with heavy gas pressure yesterday at noon. Now flowing over the derrick. Will have it under control today. It is a big well."

The well alluded to was deepened some time ago, and for the past month has been flowing at the rate of 1000 barrels a day. Now the production is in excess of that amount. Well No. 2 also deepened several weeks ago is flowing at the rate of 700 barrels daily. The Hale-McLeod is now producing Nos. 4 and 6, and expects to largely increase the production of the field.

AGENCY DIRECTORS. NEW BOARD SELECTED.

The nominating committee of the Independent Oil Producers' Agency held a meeting in this city the other day to elect and nominate the board of directors of the agency under the new order which reduces the number from 150 to seventy-five members. The members of the nominating committee are Messrs. Robb, Ewing, Sawyer, Dallas and Scott. The committee went over the names of the present board and decided out the members who are disqualified for their non-attendance at the meetings of the agency. The active members will be retained on the board. W. B. Robb, secretary of the agency, refused yesterday to make public the personnel of the new board. He said the names would be given out (all the next meeting of the agency in January.

McKITTICK FIELD. UNION OFFICIALS' VISIT.

McKITTICK, Nov. 23.—The S. P. W. O. Oil Company, on section 26, T. 2N., R. 2E., North McKittick front is 600 feet with 12 1/2-inch casing. The first well. The well is located some miles southwest of the Bel-Oil Company's property the well has reached a depth of 232 feet on section 23. The drill in the company's well on section 4, 23-22, is down about the same depth with 4 1/2-inch casing. The drill in O. C. Heck's second well on the North McKittick is down 200 feet. Well No. 1, which is 1340 feet in depth, is to be drilled to stand for the present. The Oakland-McKittick Oil Company has resumed operations after a shut-down of about three weeks. Fairbank Oil Company has finished the erection of a 1000-barrel oil tank. Oil Company officials were here today for the purpose of inspecting the fields which the company is operating. In the party were F. P. Hill, Los Angeles, general field super-



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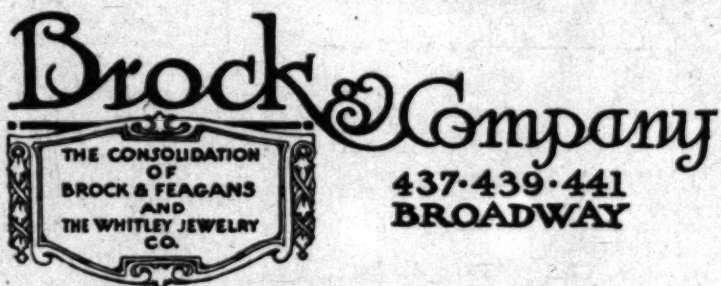
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RECEIPTS SHOW PROSPERITY.

Internal Revenue and Customs Collections Demonstrate City's Growth. Enormous Postal Business. The receipts of the various government offices for the month of November show a large increase. The post-office figures will not be available before tomorrow, as the figures from forty-six substations must be tabulated, but the returns from the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue and Collector of Customs, shows a healthy growth of the public business. The November receipts reported by

Claude I. Parker, Collector of Internal Revenue, show \$80,815.51, taken in during the month, the figures for the corresponding month of last year being \$65,024.98. The receipts in the office of Collector of Customs Pendleton were \$57,953.35, as compared with \$51,757.22 for November last year, and \$70,247.45 for November, 1909.

The manufacture of sweet wines has added to the receipts of Collector Parker. That in the office of Collector Pendleton shows the rapid growth of business. Postmaster Harrison says that the mail will add to the postal receipts for the month, and that in his opinion the figures will show more pieces of mail handled during November than during December. In spite of the holiday rush the final count will indicate more than 10,000,000 pieces of mail handled during the month, he thinks.

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SHE HAS TO TALK FAST.

Tooth Broken by Dentist, She Says and She Seeks Cash Balm for the Resulting Inconveniences.

When Mrs. Celia Gordon, who brought suit against Dr. Barnett Bakerman for \$250 for having broken her tooth, was asked yesterday by the prosecution if she had told Bakerman that she "trusted in God and Bakerman's skill to go a good job on her teeth," her answer caused some merriment in Justice Forbes's court.

"I never talked to Dr. Bakerman about God," she replied, "for my husband is a Socialist and doesn't believe in any. He broke my tooth without my consent and now when I talk I have to talk very fast and people don't understand me."

Both defense and prosecution rested the case yesterday. The court will render his decision tomorrow.

OPIMUM SELLER FINED.

Low Jung, a Chinese, was fined \$100 in Justice Reeve's court yesterday for conducting an opium den in Long Beach. Jung was escorted to the court by Inspector Boden, who found the Chinaman in his den surrounded by pills, pipes and other paraphernalia used in the manufacture of dreams. He paid and said he wouldn't do it again.

CAUSE FOR GRATITUDE.

"Tomorrow is Thanksgiving, and I want you to have something to be thankful for, so I'll make your fines light," said Justice Forbes yesterday to four men arraigned on charges of violating the speed ordinance. The men were R. Moser, A. W. Eager, H. V. Caldwell and Ivan J. Harle. The first two men were fined \$15 each and the latter \$10 each.

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A NEW SIGN.
It is the habit of certain public resorts to sometimes post a sign of "No Smoking Allowed." Since smoking is a special privilege, rather than the natural order, it might be well if it were always taken for granted that smoking is not permissible in public and quasi-public places. The rule would then be to post a sign "Smoking Allowed" in cases where the nuisance is not prohibited.

ISSING THE POINT.
The Socialists overlook the great principle that every man approaches his own end through the gateway of understanding. It is by consciousness alone that a man relates himself to objects, persons and things. Present him with the form of wealth of service before he has acquired a sense of possession through mastery of the principle of the form and it slips from his fingers like a wraith of fog.

NEW DRAMA PROMISED.
The present wholesale production of bright scenarios for motion-picture enterprises promises America at the world at large a new drama that will be sharp in its brevity and dramatic with action. Any thought uppermost in the minds of the multitude soon grips the individual in its vice, and there thousands of clever men are entering keen competition for a superior brand of canned drama the influence of this application is certain to make itself felt upon the stage in the long run.

LIGHTING A CITY.
It is a wonderful sight to stand upon a hilltop at twilight and watch the street lamps spring from darkness into light. It is yet more wonderful to witness the leaping life of innumerable lamps in residence windows, each set in its place by a separate consciousness while all the shadow people moving behind the vast multitude of curtains are actors at that minute participating in the rich drama of life with the joys and the sorrows out of which comes all growth to the soul.

HOW MANY PROMISES?
The report that Bert Franklin, now under arrest on the charge of jury-bribery in the McNamara case, has been promised the appointment of Chief of Police by the Socialist leaders in the event of their success at the polls, raises a query as to how many fellows have been promised this job by the Socialist politicians and how many will get it. The Times knows of a dozen men who think they are to step into the Chief's shoes if Harriman wins; and hundreds of appointments as policemen and firemen have been peddled out by the promoters. Judging by the pledges that have been made, the Socialist plan, if successful, to disregard the civil service rules and clean out the police and fire departments, filling them with their followers.

SUUP AND A SUIT.
At a public dinner last night a waiter emptied an evening suit with a bowl of soup and the man who wore the suit laughed which, after all, was the best thing he could have done. When his neighbors at table asked to see the joke he explained that he was laughing because the waiter was superstitious enough to believe that the accident had happened, whereas he knew that the occurrence was easily within a natural law. His tuxedo had made a slight error to the fit and had said him the suit for half-price. He had accepted the discount, knowing the suit to be worth full value. Men never get something for nothing, and when the waiter made his contribution of soup life has simply squared that man's account with his tuxedo. Of course, the waiter and the waiter may yet have something coming to their separate accounts, but that is their affair.

INITIATIVE MEASURES.
Voting on initiative measures, two of which are on the ballot at the municipal election, means much more than most voters understand. It is not a mere expression of judgment on a measure that may be revoked whenever it becomes odious or oppressive or proves impractical or erroneous in policy.
The adoption of a measure, such as prohibition, or the municipal newspaper, means that the law is established and may not be altered, or amended, or repealed, or modified in any respect until, at a subsequent election, the voters alter or repeal it.
In other words, if the voters adopt the prohibition ordinance it will become effective immediately and may not be changed until another vote is taken.
If the prohibition ordinance carries next Tuesday it must be repealed by another ordinance, submitted by initiative petition of 10 per cent. of the voters. This would mean another campaign, another election and great expense to the city to restore license and regulation.
If the municipal newspaper ordinance carries it means the same thing with the addition that the city must provide \$30,000 a year for the maintenance of a municipal newspaper, the scheme for financing which is open to serious question, even if its friends only are to have the running of it.
It could not be suspended nor could the ordinance authorizing it be repealed until another initiative petition is presented.
Voters should realize that on both questions they are passing on measures that may not be changed without another campaign and another election.

BE YE THANKFUL.
Thanksgiving Day is an American institution, and why should Americans be particularly thankful? Because they live under what is, on the whole, the best form of government any people ever had. If somebody objects that it is not perfect, it can easily be said that it is more nearly so than any other ever known, and that, furthermore, it is not only the best we deserve, but the best we are capable of. Why do we say this? Because our government is of the people's own creation and of their own management. If there are defects in it that is the people's fault. And what is better still, it is a thing the people can remedy whenever they rise to heights of wisdom sufficiently elevated to permit them to see the defects and to acquire energy enough to apply the proper remedies.
Why, among American people, from whom Thanksgiving is particularly due, should Californians stand pre-eminently above all others? Because of all the broad expanse of country within the United States California is in all respects the most desirable as a place in which to abide. There is no corner of the globe where, in the year 1911, climatic conditions have been so favorable to health and so conducive to comfort as here in this portion of the footstool of the Most High, lying between the glorious mountain range of the Sierras and the sunset sea to the west.
As America stands pre-eminently among the nations in government and in the richness of the public domain so it does in the material conditions enjoyed by the American people. If we have in America no princes we have as an offset few paupers. If monarchs are unknown things among us, mendicants are a shame to the people individually and not to the body politic. Here again California stands at the head of the highest class of all the world in these respects. There is not an individual in the whole State of California with any ability to perform any service for the general good of the community who has not been able to find an opportunity to sell his talents at a good rate of interest, provided there was a willing mind behind the ability. Nowhere else in the whole wide world has prosperity reigned so much without interruption and shed its blessings so nearly universally as among us.
It is not necessary for the newspaper or the preacher to dwell at length upon these matters. They are obvious facts, seen and known of all who will only cast their eyes in the right direction. Have we not outlined above reasons sufficient to call forth songs of thanksgiving from the heart and lips of every person within the whole State of California? Let us in a paragraph recapitulate the reasons for thankfulness.
A country not only the most beautiful in its physical features, but richest in all that goes to add to human comfort and enjoyment of life in its farms, its mines, its woods, its waters, its hills, its plains and all its other physical features. A government of the people's making and of the people's administration, as Mr. Lincoln said, "of the people, by the people and for the people." A system of public education that has been a model for the world at large and unmatched in any former era of human history. Religious liberty under which every person worships the Supreme Being according to his own conception of that Being and of his relations thereto. A material prosperity that covers the land as broadly and as deeply as the waters cover the sea. Absolute peace with the rest of the world and domestic peace throughout all our borders. And for the particular year to which this Thanksgiving day belongs there is to be thankful for the most bountiful harvest of almost every crop the world has gathered and one of the most bountiful in the history even of our own rich land.

KICKERS AND THEIR KICKING.
We Americans are confessedly a great people. We confess the fact ourselves without a blink of the eye or a moment's hesitation on the end of our tongue. But it is just as well that we should occasionally do a little self-examination rather than everlastingly indulge in self-glorification. We should hold an old-fashioned Methodist class meeting now and then, if only to vary the somewhat monotonous entertainment of a mutual admiration society.
Rocking-chairs are an American institution, and a very good one if properly used. Over against this is set down on the debit side of the ledger the spittoon as an American institution, wholly a national disgrace. But do you know, just at this moment, in our opinion, there is an institution that might be branded "made in America" more of a national disgrace than the spittoon, and more deleterious in the mental disease that it breeds than the other thing with all its microbes?
The American kicker and his kicking have become a good deal of a nuisance. There is a spirit that each one should run the government, manage all industries and dictate all social life after his own views and according to his own infallible wisdom. Majority rule still exists, according to the Constitution of the United States, and all organic laws of all the States must conform thereto. But do you know there are a great many Americans who would willingly join in an initiative movement to amend the Constitution on this point if they could bring themselves to agree with any other member of the great party of kickers. Unfortunately, the minority conception of government reduces itself to a minority of one. There goes together with this highly-developed self-conceit a disposition to not stop at kicking about methods and principles, but to "knock" the other fellow, whoever he may be. The knocker and the kicker are generally one and the same, each member of the clan performing the double function. So many of us are possessed of the spirit of knocking and kicking that we give too much credence to everything the other fellow says and pay too much attention to everything he does. We have here a double national disease becoming rapidly epidemic. We expect to see some progressive member of the medical faculty produce a treatise on what he will call knockeritis and kickeritis.
The work of the knocker and of the kicker has for a net result the creation in the minds of all the people of a spirit of discontent as to their own place in life and of suspicion of every other person's acts and motives. We Americans do not stop to consider carefully enough what is said in depreciation of our neighbor. If the knocking is only hard enough and the kicking only aimed at someone high enough up we are disposed to take it all at face value.



Center of the Stage.

Our love of kicking and knocking has banished from our minds that ripe and valuable wisdom expressed time out of mind ago in the old saw, "Hear the other side."

Old Dr. Johnson used to growl at the people of his time. "Clear your mind of cant," he said. "It is not one of America's besetting sins, but is it any worse than suspicion?"

ENOUGH OF WARS.
It is stated that the United States will be more severe with the threatened revolutionists against Madero than it was in the uprisings that eliminated Diaz from Mexico. The United States owes its own border people its protection and it owes something to the many citizens who have made investments across the border. A repetition of the Douglas outrage is not to be palliated. Neither is it fair to Madero and those who, by an honest fight, have established a new regime in Mexico to permit the Magonists and other American anarchists and soldiers of fortune to ally themselves with the disgruntled element that remains in the sister republic during its delicate and difficult period of reconstruction. It is impossible that, following a revolution, there should not be many politicians and elements in that country who are not altogether satisfied, but the United States has no right to allow any of its people to contribute to that unrest in any measure.

The armaments of talkative labor unionists who declare they are to get all the jobs as policemen and firemen if Harriman wins lead one to inquire how many thousands of policemen and firemen we are going to have. These jobs seem particularly attractive to Harriman's followers.

UNCLE WALT.

The Poet Philosopher.
For work that does not cut me, but fills my heart with grief, for voices sweet that call me to dinner and to tea, for dachshunds that snore me, for critics who score me, for friends who never do me, I'm thankful as can be. For scarcity of troubles from pessimism and cranks, for having sundry roubles and kopceks in the banks, for cackles that some one makes me, for health that never fails me, for law that seldom fails me, I spring this card of thanks.
For rattling bones a-penny, for leeches to bleed, for Homer down to Han, for Libbey up to Snake, for myrtle tales of wonder that split the soul asunder, for tales of blood and thunder, this card of thanks I make. For that I'm here and living, for bright and sunny days, and capable of giving a buck to hard luck jays, because this good old planet's improved since Adam ran it, and we are here to man it, this spiciest of thanks I raise.

WALT MASON.
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STREAKS OF WIT.

The Usual Way.
[Toledo Blade:] Friend: You took your son into your establishment a few months ago to teach him the business, I understand. How did he turn out?
Business Man (wearily): Great success. He's teaching me the business now.
Nearly Even Economy.
[Louisville Courier-Journal:] "Nothing lost here but the squeal," declared the pork packer. "Are you as economical in conducting your business?"
"Just about," answered the visitor. "I'm in the lumber business. We waste nothing but the bark."
A Standing Menace.
[Philadelphia Record:] Wigg: Subbubs has a big wood pile in front of his house. I wonder why he doesn't burn coal?
Waze: He does. The wood pile is merely a protection against tramps.
Keeping Expenses Down.
[Life:] General Manager: It will cost a million to equip the road with safety appliances.
Railroad President: What did it cost for accidents last year?
"About \$100,000."
"Then I guess we'll continue to take a chance."

THANKSGIVING DAY VERSE.

CALIFORNIA.
With reverent hearts, bowed low upon the ground,
In hearing of Thy waters sweetly purled;
We thank Thee, Lord, for this thrice-hallowed land,
Most beautiful of any in the world,
California!

We thank Thee for Thy forests' verdant rose,
For woodland song and drawings fountains' fall;
We thank Thee for the tempered wind that blows
Upon this shore, most beautiful of all,
California!

We thank Thee for the Autumn's golden mead,
And for the fruits Thy vales have given birth;
We thank Thee for each harvest-time, and seed,
Oh, loveliest of gardens on the earth,
California!

We thank Thee for Thy hearths, where softly heat
The feet of babes to love's enchanting time;
We thank Thee for child-laughter, clear and sweet,
Resounding through Thy lotus-world of Noon,
California!

We thank Thee for Thy cloisters down the ward,
Enwreathed with arbutus and cypress stem;
We thank Thee for these withering temples, Lord,
And for Thy altar-height surrounding them,
California!

We thank Thee for Thy bells of olden time,
Harmonized, and sweeter than the rivers' song;
We thank Thee, Lord, this day we hear them chime
The low green hills, and winding streams along,
California!

With reverent hearts, bowed low upon the ground,
In hearing of Thy waters sweetly purled;
We thank Thee, Lord, for this thrice-hallowed land,
Most beautiful of any in the world,
California!

MABEL RAINS.

BE THANKFUL.

Be thankful for the blessings that you have,
Although it may seem that they are not great;
Be thankful that you're living in a land
Wherein you help to guide the Ship of State;
Be thankful that somebody's love is true,
And for the friends who cheer you day by day;
Be thankful you are living and are glad
That God with wisdom guides you on your way.

Be thankful for the joys that you have had,
For sorrows that have taught you how to live;
Be thankful that the better is not vain,
And that it is within your power to strive;
Be thankful for good health and strength to do
What God has given the path of life you go;
Be thankful that you have a chance to win
A home above while trolleys here below.

CHARLES H. MEIERS.

TURKEY AND THE PURITAN.

BY TOM FITCH.
Chilled indeed must be the blood and dull the comprehension of the American citizen whose heart does not swell with emotion and whose eyelids do not tingle to tears when he sees himself in front of the festive board today and whatever his creed, or lack of creed, does not return thanks to the Giver of all good and perfect gifts for the blessings of peace, of prosperity, of free and orderly government, of security for personal and property rights by which he is environed.
All these are symbolized in the turkey. Let the Hungarian devour his goshawk, and the Russian eat his caviar, and the Italian be thankful for his macaroni, and the Spaniard pay his devotions to his olla podrida. The American has a nobler dish. Thanksgiving is a national and not merely a New England holiday. The Puritan spirit was not confined to the followers of a monk, or Calvin, or to those brave men and women who looked over the prow of the Mayflower. It existed among the purgators of Holland, who opened their dykes and gave their land to the ocean rather than surrender their liberties to Philip of Spain. It existed among the French Huguenots who left France and settled Virginia. It existed among the English Catholics who founded Maryland. It existed among the Quakers who followed Roger Sherman into Connecticut. It existed among the Dutchmen of New Amsterdam and among the brave Irishmen who went singing to the red and in behalf of the freedom of their country.
Puritanism demanded freedom, of anarchy. It demanded no license, but liberty regulated and protected by law. Puritans never sang the "Marseillaise" nor danced the Carmagnole, or three blind mice, in the veins of the Puritans of this generation flows the blood that never feared a foe or shirked a contest, and experience has demonstrated that when a foreign or a domestic enemy threatens the honor of the flag or the peace and order of society the plodding, industrious, careful, economical saving Yankee equally with the extravagant chivalrous southerner, will toss his fortune into the vortex of war and bare his breast to the stormy shock of battle on behalf of his country.
It is but a century and a quarter—only a brief episode of time in the history of a nation—since this universal Yankee nation was born, with a cradle chorus that was sung under the pine and the palm, under the maple and the magnolia allee.
At the time of our birth we had no greater population than Switzerland possesses now and no larger territory than is now included in the Pacific mainland. A poet has said of the Puritan fathers:
"Their land was but a shelving strip,
Back with the strife that made it free.
They lived to see its tannery dyes,
Their fringes in the western sea."
They were giants who placed our country among the nations. Frederick the Great sent to George Washington his royal memento with diamonds with the inscription, "From the oldest general in Europe to the greatest general in the world." Talleyrand admitted that Franklin was a greater diplomat than any that Europe had produced, and Burke, Pitt and Fox conceded that Jefferson, Hamilton, and Adams were masters of learning and statecraft.

Pen Points: By the Staff

Down with Turkey, say we, today.
What has become of the old-fashioned pattern of crimping pie crust?
Giff Pinchot has joined the La Follette shouters. That makes two now.
The next excitement will be Christmas. Have you done all of your shopping?
Col. Roosevelt admits that he is a living refutation of that line, "To err is human."
When the little 5-year-old Chinese Emperor emperored "them was the happy days."
The latest bride's gift to the bridegroom is a trunk. Nothing comes handier at home.
The kong of Hankow are being beaten. If China does not wake up now the case is hopeless.
A bit of the light meat, thank you; oh, well, if you insist, a slight portion of the dark, also.
Back in the East where the blizzard is howling Schedule K is coming in for a great deal of attention.
We are willing to pay a suitable reward for information as to just how that war in Tripoli is getting on.
In the color scheme it is the Red, White and Blue above the Red. Smite the forces of socialism hip and thigh.
Buffalo Bill is flirting with the Channiqua lecture managers. All intellectual giants come to this in good time.
Billy Sunday has it figured out that a soul can be saved for \$378. If the figures are right that is cheaper than life insurance.
The world is waiting to hear the rules of Los Angeles next Tuesday. Let it break for the comfort, well-being and happiness of our people.
An earthquake caused the appearance of a new island just off the coast of Venezuela. Just as soon as it cools off there will be a revolution on it.
Have you ever thought of what a busy man John D. Rockefeller must be attending the meetings of stockholders in enterprises in which he is interested?
Really, there would be no objection to William Jennings Bryan accepting the job of President on Fortune Island if he would agree to stay there.
What has become of the old-fashioned man who thought a doctor did not amount to very much as a health agent unless he wore a full set of whiskers?
In our Thanksgiving joys let us not forget the words of the Master, inasmuch as we have done it unto the least of these our children, we have done it unto Me.
If the average man can get a cent a pound knocked off the price of turkey he can knock off what he is likely to buy on the trimmings that go with the feast.
The recent mortal fires, clearing of the impenetrable thickets and making going along was not an unmixled evil, after all. It is an ill wind that blows nobody good.
If Luther Burbank succeeds in robbing the rose of its barbed wire what is to become of the young lady in the picture who insists on singing "Every Rose Has Its Thorn."
Would not be at all surprised to see the Assembly at its present session pass a law making it necessary to put a red light on the back of every baby carriage that is wheeled out after dark.
What has become of Melvin Tanner and his dirigible balloon in which he was to cross the Atlantic Ocean? We knew there would be a shortage of hot air if Walter Wellman was not taken along.
We Ting Fang is strong for the new government in China. And it will be noted in passing, as it is sometimes put, that the famed Wu Ting Fang pulled a sun hat just the same. No wonder he is anti-astatic.
We presume it is none of our business, but Gov. Harmon is putting in a lot of time looking after the punctured tires of the Presidential boom. He is also spending much time on his back examining the cabineture.
A bit late, it is true, but Horace Vesterly, R., got his name on the list of prize as usual, as the donor of the White House Thanksgiving turkey. Vesterly has been doing that sort of thing ever since the days of Grant and it has become a habit.
Mary Garden threatens to essay the role of Hamlet and, of course, wear the customary and solemn suits of black like a cat. We recall that years ago Anna Dickinson attempted the role. But would the public take to a woman as the melancholy Dane?
"Big Tim" Sullivan, the idol of the New York newspapers, is in town. "Big Tim" must feel out of place away from New York on Thanksgiving Day with no opportunity to give the poor children shoes and clothes, and the parents of the underworld an object for coal.
THE CONRADE.
Be thou young, I will romp with thee.
Sun up, sun high, sun down, stand.
Be thou old, I will lean with thee,
Cackling over the cattle bars.
Be thou sad, I will weep with thee.
Tears are water, and, mixed with thee,
Be thou glad, I will laugh with thee.
Mirth is madness when two are in it.
Be thou lone, I will come to thee;
Twining hearts make hearts of two.
Be thou ill, I will sit by thee,
And bid thee devil quickly go.
Be thou living, I'll live with thee.
Strong in waking and warm in sleep,
Be thou dead, I will lie with thee.
Under the october cold and dew,
—[Richard Wightman, in Century Magazine.]

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